

MAY REMEDY FEE COURT SITUATION BREWERS FACE "BEER RING" PROSECUTION

RAILROAD WORKERS TESTIFY TO MANNER OF TRANSPORTATION

Many Indictments Will
Be Returned Is In-
dicated

CLEVELAND, O., March 10.—Although federal officials refused to forecast the number of indictments to be returned by the grand jury investigating the Ohio-Pennsylvania beer ring, it was learned here today that several large Pennsylvania brewers may face prosecution.

The grand jury has been hearing evidence in the booze scandal for ten days, and, according to government agents, it may require the remaining days of the month of March to complete presentation of the case.

Many Clevelanders are said to be involved in the "receiving end" of the ring.

Frederick Baird, former prohibition administrator of the state of Pennsylvania, will probably not testify before the grand jury, District Attorney A. E. Bernstein said this morning. Baird is now employed by a railroad and it was thought that he held some valuable information on the operations of the conspiracy. Investigators now feel, however, that his testimony would not add greatly to the case.

Railroad employees working on lines over which the beer is supposed to have been shipped, have given a comprehensive picture of the manner of transportation used by the "ring," officials said. Two more railroad employees will testify today.

The remaining witnesses are, for the most part, employees of Pennsylvania breweries and a number of bankers. Most of the witnesses are from Scranton, Lockhaven and Green Ridge, Pa.

Huge sums were spent by the "ring" it is said, in bribing railroad employees and officers of the law. Just how much protection the conspiracy had built up against the law is not certain but there are many rumors that several detectives and prohibition agents will be involved by the investigation.

YOUTH LOSES DEATH RACE ABOARD TRAIN

DAVENPORT, Ia., Mar. 10.—Speeding across the country in the Golden State Limited with the hope he would live long enough to die at home, John Francis Sliney, 16, Columbus, O., youth, lost his race with death and died just as the train pulled into Davenport.

Sliney accompanied by his mother, Mrs. John Sliney and his sister, Mrs. Edward Walton, had spent six months in Tucson, Arizona, in an unsuccessful effort to regain his health.

Realizing that death was near his mother and sister started for Columbus with the hope that he would survive until they reached home.

Arrangements were being made here today to continue the sad journey home.

FATE OF CAPTURED SOVIETS UNKNOWN

PEKING, March 10.—Both the Soviet embassy here and the Peking foreign office today were ignorant of the fates of Madame Borodin, wife of the Russian adviser of the Cantonese government, and the three Russian diplomatic couriers recently captured aboard the Soviet steamer Pamiat Lenina on the Yangtze River. One foreign consular report stated that the prisoners were being lavishly entertained by their Chinese captors. Another said Madame Borodin was likely to be held until the differences between north and south China have been settled.

Unconfirmed reports from Chinese sources said the three couriers had been executed but these reports were generally discounted.

SPANIARDS LAND

MADRID, Mar. 10.—An official communication issued by the department today states that the Spanish cruiser, Don Blaz Lezo has landed 150 men, one heavy field piece and one machine gun at Shanghai to insure the protection of Spanish nationals there.

SALE DATES RESERVED

Mar. 16.—Mrs. C. L. Russell.

Tried for Murder of Mate



Nineteen-year-old Frances Higgs Yates and fifty-year-old Ed Powell went on trial at Henderson, Ky., on charges of murdering Elmer Yates, the woman's husband.

GOVERNOR WILL ASK APPROVAL OF UTILITIES APPOINTMENT

Selects Columbus Man, Former Daytonian, As Republican Member Of Body—Will Succeed Frank B. Mauller

COLUMBUS, O., March 10.—Governor Vic Donahey today announced his intention of requesting the Ohio senate to confirm his appointment of W. D. McKinney, Columbus, Republican, as a member of the State Utilities Commission, to succeed Frank B. Mauller, Ross County, also Republican, for the term ending Feb. 1, 1933.

The position pays \$6,000 a year. During the past ten years, McKinney was secretary of the Southern Ohio Coal Exchange, an organization of southern Ohio coal operators.

He was manager of the Dayton Bell Telephone Company, general superintendent of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co., Maryland and District of Columbia, and was superintendent of the Boston Telephone Company, affording him eight years' experience in the telephone business, in charge of construction and operations.

For fourteen years, McKinney was accounting, financial and operation officer of the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking Railroad Company and predecessor companies, now parts of the Pennsylvania, New York Central and Norfolk and Western Railroad systems.

DIES IN FLAMES

MARION, O., March 10.—After escaping from his burning home and organizing a bucket brigade, Elkanah Crossen, 75, Marcellus, near here, was dead from suffocation. When neighbors appeared at the fire Crossen went into the flaming house, evidently to retrieve a treasured object. His body was found face down upon his bed.

FOURTEEN RUM RUNNERS HELD AFTER FOUR SHOT; CAPTURE \$42,000 CARGO

DETROIT, Mich., Mar. 10.—Fourteen alleged rum runners, who were arrested with a \$42,000 cargo of liquor after four of them had been shot were held by police today. Their wounds are not serious. Seven others escaped.

Two policemen rounded up the men and seized two five ton trucks at the foot of Walker St. The officers appeared on the scene in response to a call that a warehouse in that vicinity was being burglarized. One of the officers opened fire when the men began running.

Police believe that they arrived at the scene just as the men finished loading the trucks from a

ADMIT AUTO THEFTS

ZANESVILLE, O., March 10.—Four boys all sixteen years or more today following their confession that they were guilty of twenty-five auto thefts. Most of the machines, it is believed, were recovered after joy rides.

Defense Attacks Congress

SINCLAIR COUNSEL CHALLENGES RIGHT TO QUIZ WITNESSES

Jury Expected To Get
Conspiracy Case On
Friday

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Challenging the authority of congress to conduct investigations for other than legislative purposes, attorneys for Harry F. Sinclair, lessee of Teapot Dome, resumed their assault today in district supreme court upon the government's case against the wealthy oil operator.

The case probably will go to the jury tomorrow.

The jurors will decide whether Sinclair is guilty of contempt of the senate for his refusal to answer certain questions of the teapot dome investigation committee when he appeared as a witness on March 22, 1924. Conviction would entail a jail sentence of one to twelve months and a fine of \$100 to \$1,000 dollars.

The inquisitorial authority of congressional committees attack the defense—that no witness summoned before a senate or house committee may be compelled to testify relative to matters he deems to be beyond the scope of the legislative question before the investigating body.

Sinclair's refusal to answer seven questions centered upon the teapot dome leasing negotiations with former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, in 1922, are justified, in the defense argument, by the fact that the Sinclair leases already were under fire in the Wyoming federal courts when he last appeared before the senate committee. The unanswered questions, the defense contends, involved matters directly involved in the court proceedings then under way.

DETECTIVE SLATER CHECKING ALLEGED MAZER CONFESSION

May Question Both Mc-
Dermott And Rudner
About Story

CANTON, O., Mar. 10.—Detective Ora Slater of Cincinnati today was continuing his efforts to substantiate the story told by Louis Mazer, alleged conspirator in the Don Mellett murder, of July 16, last.

Mazer's story was given to the Stark County grand jury Tuesday and made public for the first time. Several police officers, who were on the Canton force at the time of the Mellett slaying, were mentioned in Mazer's statement as being "the higher ups" who knew that an "editor" was to be "mailed" on the night of July 15, 1926.

In order to check more thoroughly on Mazer's "immunity confession" Slater may visit Pat McDermott, who Mazer claims, was the "triggerman."

If Slater makes the trip to the penitentiary it is probable he will question Ben Rudner, also, it was stated here today by those close to the investigators.

STORE IS ROBBED

CINCINNATI, O., Mar. 10.—In a meager request from Madison, Ind., authorities Cincinnati police were asked to watch for two bandits who were "driving toward Cincinnati with two trunks of loot" taken from a jewelry store, there early today.

MAN KEPT ALIVE BY FRIENDS

EVANSTON, Ill., March 10.—A slight improvement was noted in the condition of Albert Frick, 22, the "living dead man" at 9:30 this morning. "The palate is active and the pulse brisk," said Dr. Charles F. Reed. "It is a hopeful sign."

The ninety-sixth hour of Frick's paralysis, which automatically stopped his ability to breathe, found fifty-six fellow employees of the Public Service Company of Illinois still working in shifts of two keeping him alive by artificial respiration. Frick almost died in a relapse early today and only the hurried use of oxygen kept the faint spark of life glowing.

"It is impossible to forecast the future," said Dr. Reed. "One might say that if artificial respiration is kept up and if the boy's heart does not give way, there is a fair chance of his recovering."

"On the other hand, if the paralysis does not retire there is nothing we can do. The men, of course, will keep up respiration in the boy just as long as the least can be kept up forever."

"Literally it is a question whether the paralysis or Frick's vitality holds out the longest. And no one can say to just what lengths any given person's vitality may be stretched."

Technically, from the standpoint of medical science, Frick "died" Sunday morning when he ceased to breathe after being stricken with motor paralysis. The stroke affected the diaphragm and chest. Frick, who is only twenty-two years old was reclassified to life by quick action of a physician who induced artificial respiration by pressing the patient's side, forcing air in his lungs.

Since that time the youth has been kept alive by fifty-six muscular men. There is a man on either side of the bed. The pa-

SIXTY SEVEN BURN TO DEATH IN FIRE IN RUSSIAN THEATER

MOSCOW, March 10.—Sixty-seven persons were dead today in the village of Karavakovo, in the northern part of Divina province as the result of a fire which broke out of a theater last night at a time when the house was crowded with spectators.

The entire population of the village had packed itself into a wooden school building, which had been turned into an improvised theater, for amateur theatricals celebrating International Women's Day.

A kerosene lamp burst on the stage and flaming oil drenched a group of children taking part in the play.

Panic stricken parents striving to rescue their children became ignited themselves and the holocaust ensued.

The village had no fire fighting apparatus and those who escaped from the burning building were forced to stand by helplessly and watch the fire consume the bodies of friends and neighbors.

Every family in the village lost at least one member in the fire. Twenty-seven bodies have been recovered and forty are missing.

REED CAMPAIGN FUND PROBING BODY IS FACING NEW TROUBLES

Threatened With Court Action To Halt Ballot Seizure While Republican Members Are Planning To Resign

WASHINGTON, Mar. 10.—New troubles piled up today for the Reed campaign fund committee in its search for political corruption in senatorial elections.

Threatened with court action to prevent the seizure of any additional ballots in the Pennsylvania election inquiry, the committee faced a partial disintegration by the resignation of two members.

With but five senators constituting its membership, it is reported that Senators Goff (R) of West Virginia, and McNary (R) of Oregon, would resign before the committee takes any further action.

The resignations of Goff and McNary would leave the regular Republican organization in the senate without representation on the committee as the remaining members would be Senators James A. Reed, (D), of Missouri, chairman, Kibb, (D), of Utah, and "Young Bob" LaFollette, Republican, of Wisconsin. Administration leaders, it was said, will oppose the appointment of any successors to Goff and McNary, thus leaving the committee a "Democratic Insurgent bloc."

The committee meanwhile faced certain court action if any attempt is made to seize additional ballots in Schuykill, Delaware, Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties in Pennsylvania. These seizures were requested by William B. Wilson, Democrat, in his contest to unseat Senator-Elect William S. Vare, Republican. The Republican organization of Pennsylvania, it was said, will seek injunctions in the state courts to prevent the seizures. This test of the committee's powers may be carried into the courts within a few days as the committee already has ordered the senate sergeant-at-arms to seize the desired ballots.

No estimate of the property damage has yet been made, but it is thought that it will be relatively light, since the affected districts were undeveloped and contained only villages.

Traffic over main line railways has now been restored and roads into the stricken area are being rapidly repaired.

Relief work is being carried on in an energetic manner, but it has only begun.

Many refugees are ill because of exposure, according to advices received today.

The situation in the areas devastated was still extremely acute today.

With transportation still badly crippled, the task of getting supplies to the affected areas is surrounded with many difficulties.

The menace of starvation is still prevalent.

There are at least 80,000 persons to be cared for in the provinces rocked by the temblor.

SPANISH KING ILL

LONDON, Mar. 10.—The King of Spain is slightly ill and is confined to his room, according to Madrid dispatches received here.

HE'S HARD BOILED

MARION, O., March 10.—There being no official claimants, Edgar Heyde, today claimed the "hard boiled egg eating championship" of the world after devouring thirty-six regulation sized eggs here in seventy minutes.

AMERICAN DIVORCED

PARIS, Mar. 10.—A divorce was granted today to Mrs. Ambrose Chambers, the former Mary Billard. The Chambers reside in New York and were married in Boston, April 2, 1921.

SHERIFF DIGS IN RUINS OF DESTROYED HOME FOR VICTIM OF ADMITTED SLAYER

BARSTOWN, Ky., Mar. 10.—A squad of men under Deputy Sheriff R. W. Haviland, today were digging into the one-year-old ruins of the former home of Lang Hogan, 40, near here, in the hope of finding the body of Hogan's missing wife.

Hogan, who is being held in Charleston, Mo., on a liquor charge, confessed to officials there that he killed his wife and buried her in the cellar, then burned the house, according to reports received by Haviland from Charleston authorities.

Hogan and his wife disappeared the deputy said today, immediately following the fire which destroyed their home.

The work of excavating is not expected to be completed until tomorrow, it was said.

HAS OPERATION

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Mar. 10.—Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, Jr., wife of the eldest son of Governor Smith, was improved today from the effects of an operation for adhesions. The operation was performed in the Onondaga General Hospital. Young Smith is staying with his wife's parents here in order to be near his wife.

Anti-Pet



Ernee Olive Potter, seventeen-year-old Chicago miss, organized a club for girls and boys pledged not to drink or pet.

COLUMBUS STUDENT AT PRINCETON DIES IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Son Of Dr. Crotti Is Victim Of Crash Near College

PRINCETON, N. J., March 10.—A searching probe was directed by Princeton University authorities today into the automobile accident near here last night in which Andre Crotti 20, a junior and son of a prominent Columbus, O., physician, was killed, and Danile Peterkin, Jr., of Chicago, painfully injured.

The accident occurred about five miles northeast of here, as the students were returning to the university grounds. It is believed the car struck a stone, lurched sideways and plunged into a ditch. In driving back onto the road, it is believed, Crotti, who was driving, overturned the car on the high crown of the road, which is generally regarded as a dangerous thoroughfare, being narrow, winding and unlighted.

Other Princeton undergraduates in a passing automobile found Crotti pinned under the overturned car, the steering wheel pressing against his neck. Peterkin was lying in the road in a dazed condition and unable to talk.

Crotti was extricated from beneath the car by the rescuers, who took him and Peterkin to a hospital. Crotti, however, was dead upon arrival. Peterkin was taken to the college infirmary, where the authorities said that he was painfully, though not seriously injured. Crotti had conformed with the college rules necessitating parental permission for the driving of the car. Dean Christian Gauss, notified parents of the boy. His father is Dr. Andre John Crotti, 1592 East Broad Street, Columbus, surgeon and colic specialist.

Physicians announced that danger of pneumonia was entirely gone, and that unless gangrene poisoning set in, his chances for recovery were good.

His temperature early today was 100 and his pulse had dropped to 98. He was perfectly rational and conversed for a few minutes with Manager Ray Schaick.

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Prohibition policies will be worked out by Mellon and Andrews while the new commissioner will be an executive officer to carry out the ideas of his superiors, it was explained.

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BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Mar. 10.—United States marines were fired upon at El Boqueron railroad station, eighteen miles west of Managua, last Friday, according to reports received here today. The reports do not state whether there were any casualties.

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LEGISLATURE WILL NAME COMMITTEE TO PROBE CONDITIONS

Senate Expected To Pass
Measure Which House
Approved

COLUMBUS, O., March 10.—The situation created by the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court, invalidating Ohio "fee courts" was to be placed squarely before the state senate this afternoon. The Dodd joint resolution, unanimously adopted by the house late yesterday under suspension of the rules, was scheduled to come up in the senate and its speedy adoption was indicated.

The resolution provides for the appointment of a joint committee of three senators and three representatives, authorized to determine what remedial legislation, if any, is necessary to meet the situation resulting from the restrictions imposed upon mayors' and squires' "fee courts."

Objection on the part of Sen. George H. Bender, Cleveland, prevented the senate from adopting the resolution Wednesday. The senate referred the resolution to the senate rules committee which is expected to report it out this afternoon with a recommendation that it be adopted.

Bender wanted to make sure that anti-saloon league officers were not sponsoring the Dodd resolution. It was indicated that Bender might attempt to conduct a filibuster in an effort to prevent adoption of the resolution.

Representative Dodd and other supporters of the resolution insisted that the anti-saloon league officials had nothing to do with the resolution. They declared that the sole purpose of the resolution was to "dispose of the matter in an unprejudiced, unbiased, judicial manner, and eliminate, if possible, everything smacking of a wet-dry controversy."

The resolution authorizes the proposed committee to "investigate the various provisions of the general code of Ohio relative to the courts of inferior jurisdiction that receive compensation from litigants" and to determine what remedial measure may be necessary in order that the laws of Ohio shall conform to the opinion of the U. S. supreme court.

All pending bills, resolutions and other measures affecting jurisdiction of these inferior courts, or their fees, or compensation, would be referred to the proposed joint committee.

CONDITION OF BALL PLAYER IMPROVES

SHREVEPORT, La., Mar. 10.—The condition of Johnny Mostil, White Sox centerfielder who slashed himself with a razor in a suicide attempt here Tuesday, took a decided turn for the better today.

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Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

DINWIDDIE-WATKINS

NUPTIALS ON THURSDAY
Miss Martha Dinwiddie, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Dinwiddie, 3 Galloway St., and Mr. Elton Watkins, Columbus, O., son of Mr. James Watkins, this city, were united in marriage by the bride's pastor, the Rev. V. F. Brown, at the parsonage of Trinity M. E. Church, at 10:30 o'clock, Thursday morning.

The single ring ceremony was performed. The couple was attended by Miss Glenna Dinwiddie, sister of the bride and Mr. George Watkins, brother of the bridegroom. The bride wore a frock of navy blue with hat and foot-wear to correspond.

A wedding luncheon was served at the bride's home, and the couple left on the 2:30 train for Buffalo, Cleveland, Niagara Falls and other Eastern points. After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will be at home at 5 Belvidere Ave., Columbus, O.

Mrs. Watkins graduated from Central High School in 1923 and has been employed for the past four years in the offices of the Hoover and Allison Co., this city. Mr. Watkins is employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., Columbus.

MCLELLAND W. C. T. U. MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

An all-day meeting of the McClelland W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Ward Grant, Lower Bellbrook Pike, Wednesday.

Twenty-six pounds of rags were sewed to be sent to the hospital ward at the National Military Home at Dayton to be woven into rugs by inmates. A tempting cafeteria lunch was served at the noon hour.

The business session was held in the afternoon with Mrs. Soward presiding. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Carrie McCall. The subject under discussion was "Sabbath Observance" and intensely interesting papers were prepared and read by Mrs. Charles Weiss and Mrs. James Hollenhead.

Two piano numbers were also rendered by Mrs. Lawrence Soward. Forty women were present at the meeting.

MRS. WRIGHT HOLDS PARTY WEDNESDAY

The approach of St. Patrick's Day was the occasion for a pleasurable gathering of intimate friends at the home of Mrs. S. C. Wright, 2 Detroit St., Wednesday. Mrs. Wright entertained her guests for luncheon and covers were laid for the following:

Mrs. M. I. Marsh, Mrs. Mary McMillan, Mrs. Elizabeth Blair, Mrs. Cora Crawford and Mrs. Susan Hanna, of Cedarville and Mrs. J. P. White of Xenia. Two courses were served with dainty appointments of green and white.

BRIDE HONORED AT EVENING GATHERING

Miss Cora Barnett was a gracious hostess at her home on W. Third St., Tuesday evening, commencing the celebration of her marriage to Mr. Elton Watkins, (Martha Dinwiddie) whose marriage took place Thursday. The guests "showered" the bride with a miscellaneous array of gifts. The evening was spent with contests and games and a delectable refreshment course was served.

REFORMED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MEETS

Gleaner's Sunday School Class, First Reformed Church, met at the home of Miss Martha Conklin, N. Detroit St., Tuesday evening.

Thirteen members and the teacher, Mrs. John G. Eavey, were present. A business meeting was held, followed by games, music and a social time.

A refreshment course was served.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD AS SURPRISE

Friends of Mr. Bert Blair called at his home on N. West St., Wednesday night, the gathering being arranged by Mrs. Blair as a surprise on Mr. Blair's birthday. An informal social time was spent and delicious refreshments served.

Mr. John Jeffries, Dayton Ave., who has been seriously ill, is convalescent.



Pains That Never Came

Here's glorious news for long-suffering womanhood! To every woman who periodically has suffered pain, Menstruation need no longer be painful. And it is science that is speaking! Specialists have developed a tiny tablet called Midol. It's a simple thing, utterly harmless to a girl of fourteen, but it brings relief in five to seven minutes. And is effective twelve hours or longer! Midol is NOT a narcotic. It has no effect whatever on heart or nervous system. It acts directly on those organs affected by menstruation. They function normally, as they should, but the pain is banished. Complete relief—yes, perfect comfort—follows Midol. Your druggist has Midol for 50 cents, in a slim aluminum box to tuck in your purse.

Midol
Takes Pain Off the Calendar

SOCIETY ADOPTS BOY

McLellan V. P. B. has "adopted" one of the boys in the paralytic ward at the National Military Home at Dayton and last Sunday twenty-six members of the branch visited the Home, bearing a treat of home-made "goodies" to the ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kouse, formerly of Enon, have moved to the Forbes farm near Clifton. Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCarty, who have been occupying the Forbes farm have moved to the Mounett farm near Yellow Springs.

Mrs. Minnie Moorman has moved from the Darlington Apartments, Detroit and Third Sts., to the property at Detroit and Leaman Sts.

Twenty members of Triumph Temple, Pythian Sisters, Xenia, attended the annual inspection of Jamestown Lodge, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ed Hunt, Dayton Ave., has returned from a ten day's trip to Fort Worth, San Antonio and Catarina "the winter garden district" of Texas, and into Mexico.

Mr. Lewis C. McCoy, salesman for the Tullis Auto Sales Co., Yellow Springs, is confined to his home near Xenia with grip.

Mrs. Linton Goodwin, Cincinnati, will spend the week end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, N. Galloway St.

Mrs. Frank Johnson, N. Galloway St., is entertaining members of her card club and their husbands for dinner and cards at her home on N. Galloway St., Thursday evening.

Mr. J. C. Ankeney, of Ankeney and Weaver, auto dealers, spent Wednesday in Detroit, Mich., on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thomas, Cedarville, are the parents of a seven-pound son, born Thursday morning.

Mr. John Ernst, S. Collier St., underwent a tonsillectomy at the offices of a local physician, Wednesday.

The condition of Mr. George Spencer, Columbus Pike, who has been seriously ill several weeks, following a stroke of paralysis, remains unimproved.

Mr. Albert Stark, S. Columbus St., upholsterer at the Fred F. Graham Store, who has been seriously ill with blood poisoning, is recovering.

Members of Aldora Chapter, No. 262, O. E. S., who attended the district convention at Mechanicsburg, Wednesday included: Miss Florence Swan, district historian; Mrs. August Swan, district treasurer; Mrs. Frank Shelley and Miss Ruth Smith.

Frances Brown, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Brown, E. Market St., has been ill a week with tonsillitis. A second daughter, Dorothy, has been withdrawn from school for the time, on account of ill health.

Miss Ella Knott, Pitchin, spent Wednesday with Miss Florence K. White, Clifton.

Miss Carrie Stewart moved Thursday from her farm on the Old Springfield Pike, near Clifton, to the Silas Johnston property, in Clifton. Miss Stewart has been ill for some time but is recovering.

Mr. Wilmont Stewart, Clifton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Perry Stewart, Springfield.

Mr. Nelson Stretcher, Clifton, is visiting his brother, Mr. Frank Stretcher and family, of Columbus.

Miss Mary Hamlin, W. Third St., will spend the week end in Oxford, O., at Miami University, with friends.

Dr. Frank M. Chambliss is confined to his home on W. Second St., with a severe attack of grip.

Captain and Mrs. Jack Colgan, Wilbur Wright Field, Fairfield, will entertain with a dinner party Mar. 26, before the dance at the field. The affair will be in compliment to Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William E. Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. William Tytus, Columbus.

Heroine at 13



A college career is planned by Eileen Simpson, 13, who is \$1,000 richer as a result of her rescue of a boy, 9, and a girl, 13, from drowning, at Grand Rapids, Mich. The reward and a medal came through the Girl Scouts.

ADONIS FINDS BEAUTY CROWN IS MILLSTONE



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By READ COONTZ

Exclusive Dispatch, Copyright 1927 WASHINGTON, Mar. 10.—He was too beautiful!

John W. Clark's manly pulchritude was more of a liability than an asset, his friends now hold. In the summer of 1925 Clark won the prize as the most beautiful male in the city, at St. Gabriel's Church fair. Today his whereabouts are unknown and his wife is suing him for divorce.

Miss Eugenia Hillard, described as the second wife of Clark, is named co-defendant.

In the winter following his coronation Clark is alleged to have wooed and won the fair Miss Hillard after a whirlwind courtship in a downtown hotel. He wore the alluring and attractive title of "Jean de Courtesy." It is alleged that Clark and Hillard were married in a ceremony at Rockville, Md., in January, 1926.

The morning after the wedding

Clark, who had advised his bride to keep the matter quiet for a few days, called her at her father's home as pre-arranged, and asked her to come to his uptown apartment where he had something to show her. The "something" was his wife and baby, it is charged.

Miss Hillard—or Mrs. Clark No. 2—screamed and immediately left and brought suit for annulment of her marriage through her father's attorney. In the meanwhile Mary-Clark on a charge of bigamy.

So matters rested until Mrs. Clark—No. 1—filed suit for absolute divorce from her beautiful husband in the equity court of the District of Columbia.

AUTO CLUB OPENING SAFETY DRIVE SOON IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

An educational movement designed to solve the difficulty presented by children hanging onto the rear end of speeding automobiles while on roller skates at considerable risk to life and limb, is to be launched here.

The remedy? A form of bribery, in addition to the waging of a vigorous crusade for safety by the Greene County Auto Club.

Nicely colored books on accident prevention with illustrations, called "A. B. C." books, will be distributed among first and second grade pupils in all county schools by the club.

The books contain six lessons in safety methods, one to be studied each week as a part of regular school work. The pages contain drawings in pictures to be filled out in colors with explanatory reading matter below the drawings.

This revelation in latest safety methods for young children is announced by Diver Belden, secretary of the auto club, with announcement that the club will begin its annual safety campaign April 1, to last six weeks.

It is his belief that inculcation of accident prevention should start in the first grade and continue through the higher classes.

Annual complaints are being made by drivers that boys on roller skates persist in "hooking" to the rear of machines endangering their own safety and placing the autoist in a position where he is liable for damages in case of an accident.

The auto club is trying to steer children away from such juvenile and dangerous pastimes.

Secretary Belden wishes to create enthusiasm for commercial safety and pleads for greater care on the part of motorists.

The public's extravagant disregard for the value of safety is never shown to better advantage than during the auto season when accidents are usually caused by suicidal carelessness, Secretary Belden is convinced.

Other plans are being prepared by the club to carry the safety campaign a step further in persuasion of adults as well as juveniles to adopt precautionary measures to avoid accidents.

ADVISES AUTOISTS TO USE COURTESY

Following on the heels of the United States Supreme Court and Ohio attorney general's opinions regarding the right of rural mayors and justices to share in the collection of fees in motor vehicle cases, a telegram received Wednesday by Diver Belden, secretary of the Greene County Auto Club, from headquarters of the Ohio State Automobile Association.

CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

Look at tongue! Then give fruit laxative for stomach, liver, bowels

"California Fig Syrup" can't harm children and they love it



Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign the little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Fig Syrup" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious, "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside cleansing." Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Fig Syrup," then see that it is made by "The California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

tion, contained the following statement:

"We urge all motorists to obey all rules of safety, observe traffic and speed laws, practice courtesy and respect rights of other motorists and pedestrians."

YOUTH CONFESSES AUTO TIRE THEFT

James Burden, 16, Kennedy St., who confessed to police the theft of a spare auto tire, tube and rim from an auto owned by Fred Wilson of near Cedarville, three weeks ago, will be tried on a juvenile delinquency charge before Judge J. C. Wright this week.

Burden admitted he removed the tire from the machine when it was parked in front of a church in Cedarville and then attempted to sell it for \$3 at the Xenia Supply Co.

He first denied the theft claiming he found the tire. The case was transferred to Juvenile Court. Police say Burden is a paroled prisoner from the Boy's Industrial

School at Lancaster. He was released from the institution nine months ago.

DIES IN DAYTON

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Whittington, W. Main St., received word of the death of Marion Enyeart, father of W. E. Enyeart, her son-in-law, which occurred at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Thursday morning. Death was caused by heart

"COSMIC"

Antiseptic Powder For Ladies

Leaves a fresh, cool and comfortable feeling.

Sold only in metal containers.

Small Size 50c. Large size \$1.00.

Sold at leading druggists, Beauty Shops and Department stores.

trouble and complication of all men.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with interment in Troy, O. Mrs. Enyeart's former home. Mrs. Whittington will attend the services.

The safe way to stop children's coughs!
Protect your children with this pure, pleasant and effective cough syrup—Lauher's Am-o-joz. At the first sign of a cough or cold use it. For 20 years this preparation has been used by wise mothers. It stops coughs due to colds, croup and whooping cough. Price 50c. Prepared by Lauher & Lauher Co., Chicago.

FOR SALE BY SOHN'S DRUG STORE SAYRE'S DRUG STORE DONGES, THE DRUGGIST

J.C. PENNEY Co.
A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
"where savings are greatest"
37-39 East Main St., Xenia, Ohio

A Service Ad

Is One That Guides You To Real Savings In Quality Goods

28 New Members In Our Family

There will be 28 new Stores added this Spring to the great Nation-wide family of Department Stores to which this Store belongs.

These new Stores will give a total of 773 J. C. Penney Company Stores scattered throughout the country in every state except Delaware and Florida.

Such an extensive service can mean only one thing to YOU AND YOUR FAMILY—increased saving power in your buying.

Maintaining our selling prices at the lowest possible figures consistent with prevailing market conditions, means that here every day and in every way you enjoy the fullest return in Quality and Value for your money.

Our aim is to serve you well and faithfully.

New Coats Are Different

Twills and Poiretsheens For Dressy Models

Smart—because the fabric is one of the twill family—and because the trimming is of fur. Sometimes sleeves add an elaborate note—or tucks in fancy arrangement.

Fancy Mixtures For Sportwear

Novelty is the keyword! Trimmings of contrasting color. Sizes for women, misses and junior misses.

\$14.75

Spring Frocks—Price Low

Intriguing New Styles

Step into style with one of these delightful little Frocks in the very newest of styles for Spring! Plaits, ruffles, boleros, new sleeves, and other modes.

\$9.90

Spring Colors

The various Rose colors predominate with Tan and Blue running a close race for popularity. Two and three tone effects are a universally liked Spring innovation.

For women and misses—at this great price!

\$2.98

New Oxfords For Growing Girls

Growing girls and misses, and mother too, will be delighted with our No. 5560, a new oxford of tan leather with side apron trim of brown alligator calf; plain, roomy toe; low walking heel with rubber tap. Ask to see it. Low priced at—

\$2.98

Growing Girls' Trim Oxfords

Another new arrival that you will want to see is our No. 4767, a tan oxford with fancy grain calf trim. Plain toe and walking heels with rubber taps. In sizes 2½ to 8. And not the least of its attributes is the moderate price—

\$3.98

A Comfortable One-Strap Model For Growing Girls

As much style here as in our shoes for women. This pump for the growing girl or miss is developed in a parchment kid with fancy snake calf underlay, as shown in cut. Medium covered heel. An especially good value at the moderate price of—

\$3.98

Sanitary Needs Note Our Prices

Penco Nap Sanitary Belts 23c and 49c
San-Ins 49c
Sanitary Napkins 8 in box 23c

19c

Castile Soap A Special Saving

This is our 100 per cent pure castile soap at the remarkably low price of, cake,

8c

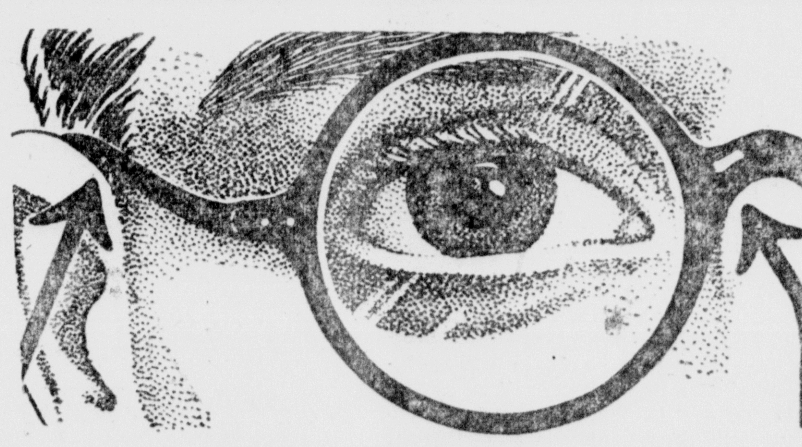
Pond's Cream For the Face

Both vanishing cream and cold cream of superior quality—Pond's Priced, the jar,

29c

Toilet Goods Known Brands

Hind's Honey and Almond Cream 39c
Small Size Pond's Cold Cream 8c
Packer's 29c
Shampoo 49c
Palmolive Shaving Cream 29c



Properly fitted glasses must be based upon a thorough scientific examination of your eyes.

The eyes have an uncanny power over the features. Whatever affects them is mirrored in the face. Ugly lines, that drawn look, are traceable to eyestrain, simply the result of neglect. See us for properly fitted eyeglasses.

L. A. Wagner, O. D.

Standard Licensed Optometrist

18 S. Detroit St. Xenia, Ohio.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grand mother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy milk at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product for only 75 cents. It is improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

—Adv.

EDITORIAL

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LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE

In 20 years, prophesies Prof. A. M. Low, an English scientist and inventor, there will be a scientific revolution in domestic life.

We shall see world events portrayed before our eyes by the television screen while we sit at meals. Our houses will be full of artificial sunlight, as health-giving as the real thing. The family airplane will stand at the door as the family car does now, and excite no more comment. Food will come from service depots, whenever wanted, in response to a telephone call. There will be general electric cooking, cleaning and heating.

This does not surprise anyone who has kept abreast of scientific and industrial developments. It all sounds plausible enough.

The result, obviously, will be to emancipate women from housework to a far greater extent. There will be for more leisure for their sex. There will also be far more tendency to find paying employment outside of the home. Women will compete with men in industry, business and professional work more and more.

A CAPITAL CITY MADE TO ORDER

The Duke of York for once takes his elder brother's place as special ambassador to distant parts of the far-flung British Empire. He is on his way to Australia, where on May 9 he will formally open the first session of the Australian Parliament held in Canberra, the new capital of the commonwealth. It was his father, the present King, but then himself the Duke of York, who opened the first Australian Parliament that ever assembled, on May 9, 1901.

A young Chicago architect won a world-wide competition, in 1912, and the city represents his ideas. It seems that Melbourne and Sydney were intense rivals for the honor of being the capital city, just as Smith and McAdoo were rivals for a certain honor in 1924, and with the same result. Neither got what it was striving for.

Canberra lies midway between Melbourne and Sydney, a dozen times the size of the District of Columbia. It is well located on a river, surrounded by mountains, and is designed to be a garden city. Most of the construction work has been done within the past three or four years.

THE TALKIES

Thomas A. Edison doesn't think the talking pictures will ever be successful in this country. There are probably no "sour grapes" about that opinion, either. It appears that Edison himself invented a device of the sort about 15 years ago, and thought so little of it that he considered himself lucky to sell it for a few thousand dollars.

"Americans prefer silent drama," he says. They are accustomed to the picture as it is, and they will never get enthusiastic over any voices mingled in. There will be a novelty to it for a little while, but the glitter will soon wear off and the movie fans will cry for silence or a little orchestra music.

Maybe he is right. To many, the silence of the present moving picture theater is one of the blessed things in this jazz world. But there is no telling. We shall find out soon, for it is certain that there will be good talking movies available before long for those who want them.

Recent proceedings in Washington have helped quite a few voters in the congenial task of compiling a list of men for whom they do not intend to vote.

The Theatre

Just like "The Big Parade" by the same director, so thoroughly caught the spirit of war and transferred it to the screen, with its pathos, grim humor and drama, does "Bardelys the Magnificent," King Vidor's latest production that appears at the Bijou Thursday and Friday, capture the spirit of the colorful romantic, swashbuckling era of the middle ages, "the days of old, when knights were bold."

"Bardelys" is everything that Club. His principal argument is that the English-speaking theater, which of course, includes America, is "ill-equipped to meet the growing competition of the cinema." The American conquest of the British film industry is progressing all the time, we learn. Just a few weeks ago, the Empire, one of London's institutions, home of the British ballet and musical comedy, has been closed, to be replaced by a motion picture house. Of course, Mr. Dean's statement has been challenged in England, many expressing their faith that the theater will overcome all obstacles.

John Gilbert, the star, is seen in a distinctly new screen characterization. He has the title role, of "Bardelys" the handsome courtier "who could win any woman he set his mind to," and was not above boasting about his prowess.

Eleanor Boardman plays the fair heroine Roxalane and Roy D'Arcy, the treacherous Chatterault.

How to get around the problem of saving "What Price Glory?" from being a mere repetition of any war screen was solved by one of the leading American film producers who has laid upon the audience the necessity of acquiring lip reading. Profanity, blasphemy and obscenity would not be permitted in subtlety but there was nothing to prevent the actor from saying what he is obviously thinking, and experienced lip-readers are frequently aware of strange screen confidences, according to an article in the recent issue of "The Literary Digest."

The English drama is on its death-bed, Basil Dean recently told the Manchester (Eng.) Playgoers.

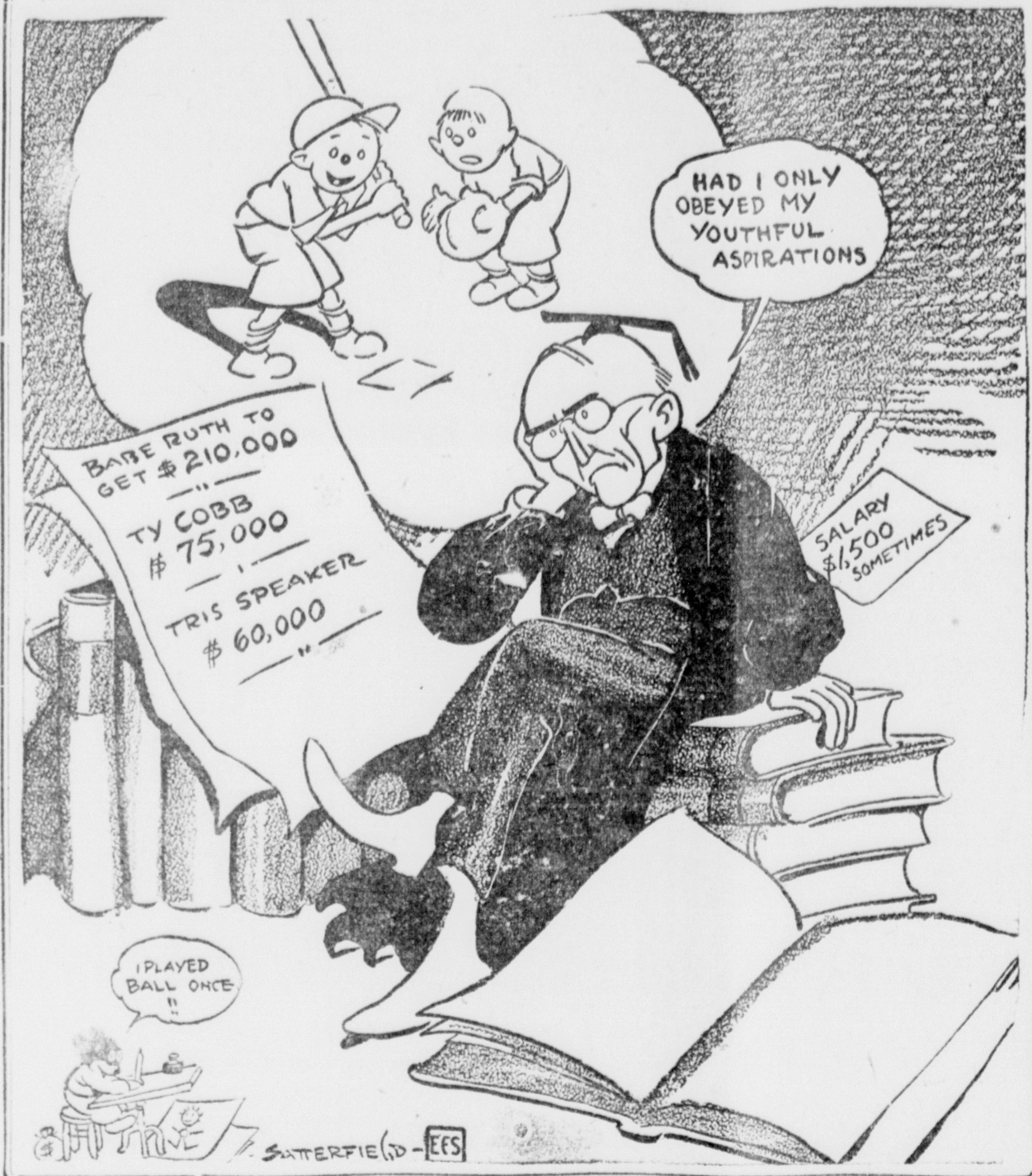
LARGE AUDIENCE HEARS PREACHER

A large, interested audience heard the Rev. Dale Dutton, student preacher at Cedarville College and pastor of Columbus Ave., U. B. Church, Springfield, preach on "There Is No Difference" at the revival services at Xenia U. B. Church, W. Third-St., Wednesday night.

The Rev. Mr. Dutton displays extraordinary talent as a preacher. He will preach Thursday night on "The Man and His Message," a discourse on John the Baptist as a forerunner of Christ.

Friday night, his father, Dr. J. H. Dutton, well known in Xenia, will preach. There will be no Saturday evening service. Sunday evening, a group and singers from Cedarville College, will be on the program.

The Joy of Being a Ph. D., LL.D., Etc.



Keeping HEALTHY

by Dr. A. F. Currier

THE IMPORTANCE OF DEEP BREATHING

Why do we feel so much better in cold weather than in warm? Well, cold air is usually freer from impurities than warm air and stimulates the machinery of life; it encourages

deep breathing and large draughts of oxygen which the lungs transfer to the blood and the blood to every cell in the body.

Without oxygen obtained either directly or indirectly life is impossible. Hibernating animals and others may

live for a long time without food, but they cannot live without air.

Oxygen gives redness to the blood and means health. Those whose breathing apparatus is defective, the tuberculous for example, are pale. When one's air supply is cut off, as in a fit, the skin is dark blue because discolored by blood that lacks oxygen.

Handage your chest tightly and you cannot expand your lungs to their limit, your breathing is shallow like a woman in tight corsets.

Many old people are habitual shallow breathers, the result being that their tissues are gradually starved of oxygen.

Other shallow breathers are the workers in shops at machines, at desks, and they are thereby not only prevented from doing their best work but they gradually lose their power to resist disease.

The remedy is a change of occupation, severe but necessary, and this is particularly the requirement for those who in addition to being shallow breathers are engaged in unhealthy occupations.

Deep breathing in place of shallow is all that is required to remove many an ill and ailment.

The covering for the chest must be ample but loose. It is silly to go about in very cold weather with throat and chest uncovered, as so many women do, merely because it is fashionable.

Stand erect, inhale slowly until the lungs are filled, then let the air out with equal deliberation. Do this ten minutes at a time.

The capacity of the chest will be increased by raising the arms vertically. Do this day after day and you will be surprised at the improvement in your feelings. It is entirely truthful to say that by this simple procedure many an illness has been averted.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

M. De L.: Am a worker in a shoe factory and have to sit all day at my work. For the last year I have been suffering with ulcer of the stomach. Do you think my work has any

thing to do with my health and what would you advise me to do?

Answer:—Yes, I fear your work has much to do with your trouble. Couldn't you take a rest for a month or two, go to the country and live principally on milk?

That would be much better than trying to fight it out as you are now doing. Besides you will not win in that way. It will be far better in the long run to take the rest.

HOPEFUL: One of my eyes is crossed a very little and years ago I went to a specialist who told me it could be corrected by an exercise that caused the eye to follow a pencil in the curve of an ellipse. Could you recommend a better exercise and do you think the proposed method would be successful?

Answer:—If you have reached mature life I should think not. Slight deviations are sometimes helped by the use of suitable lenses, but if the deviation is considerable and of long duration it would seem to me that an operation would be preferable. But I would advise you to get the opinion of an expert oculist.

Ask Dr. Currier that medical question that has been puzzling you. Confine your letter to fifty words and send stamped, addressed envelope for reply. He cannot, of course, make individual diagnoses, and he reserves the right to decide as to the propriety of queries.

Many Minds

SIGNIFICANT SAYINGS OF THE DAY

"In all the long history of British blunders it would be difficult to parallel the present governmental policy in regard to China for moral ineptitude. I saw governmental policy, for the nation is emphatically not behind the government as yet. One supposes that it will in time be influenced by a suitable diet of atrocities. It will be taught to believe that the Chinese eat corpses and mutilate children, and those who ask evidence of these practices will be put in jail."—Bertrand Russell, noted British mathematician and philosopher.

"It is strange that in the United States, a country which prides itself on its high standards of public health, there is so little appreciation of the importance of a cheap milk supply to the health of a community; particularly its children. Most cities have elaborate and effective organizations to see that the sanitary quality and chemical standards of milk are maintained at high standards. But where is the city that interests itself in the price at which milk should be sold. In the long run the price of milk, which determines the amount that will be consumed, is a more important factor from the point of view of health than bacteriological or chemical content."—William Jourdan Rapp, New York publicist.

"With the approach of the present economic era in agriculture, there began to appear perplexing problems of markets, transportation, exports, surpluses, production, and many more. All of them were increasing in importance with the growing population and the increase in production, until at the present time we are faced with the most serious, deep-seated, far-reaching problems which have ever confronted us; and the sum total of all these various but related problems is what is commonly called "Our Agricultural Problem." It is, therefore, not a single problem,

but a bundle of problems, and because of that, is far from an easy one to attack and solve. There have been times in our history when general depressions have brought agriculture momentarily into more critical situations than at the present time, but they were short lived. There have been seasons when the farmer has felt the pinch of hard times more keenly than at the present perhaps, but he felt it along with the others. This time he is suffering alone! He is in a special depression all his own, while the rest of the industries of the country are prosperous. Because agriculture is facing the thing alone, it has succeeded in bringing to light the inequalities in our economic structure."—R. W. Dunlap, assistant secretary of agriculture.

STUFFED POT ROAST

Take a piece of beef weighing three or four pounds and plug it. Fill the cavity with a piece of salt pork chopped fine, seasoned with salt and parsley. Into a Dutch oven put a slice of butter and three tablespoons of olive oil. Brown the meat well, then cover and reduce the heat. Simmer for ten minutes, then add a pint of water, a tablespoon of tomato paste, a pinch of thyme, sweet red pepper and a small potato chopped fine. Cook slowly for two hours.

ROAST PORK AND CHESTNUTS

Take a two-pound loin of pork and brown well on all sides. Have a sliced onion in the drippings and brown this with the meat. When well colored pour in a cup of boiling water. Cook until half done. Have two pounds of chestnuts cleaned and freed from skin and lay these around the roast. Cook slowly until done and after the chestnuts are added handle very carefully as they break easily. Serve all very hot.

NEW BURLINGTON

Rev. Clyde O. Watson, of Wilmington, will give an illustrated lecture on Africa at the Friends Church Sunday evening, March 13, to which every one is invited to be present.

The members of the Fellowship Class of the Friends Sunday School will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Steddom, the teacher.

Mrs. Mary Mills spent the weekend at Xenia with her daughter, Mrs. Rosa Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Bogan and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Compton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bogan and family, at Xenia.

Paul Wiscup, of Cedarville, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hite.

Mr. and Mrs. Vego Mitchner and baby spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mary Hill and family.

Mrs. Edith Terrell and Miss Bertha Terrell are visiting the former's granddaughter, Mrs. Homer Haines, and family.

The union services closed Wednesday evening of last week. These services were well attended each evening, and the churches are very grateful to those who helped make them of interest and help to those who attended.

The C. E. Society held a social and business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Compton, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. T. C. Haydock entertained the members of her class of the M. E. Sunday School at her home Monday evening. The meeting was also a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson. A covered dish luncheon was served.

Mrs. B. W. Kelch, of Chicago, arrived Tuesday morning for a short visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Josephine Blair.

James Blair, Elmer Blair, and Mrs. Brown, and granddaughter, of near Old Town, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blair and son, of Springfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. Josephine Blair and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Curry, south of town.

The Dorcas Society of the M. E. Church will meet in an all-day session Thursday at the home of Mrs. Walter Lackey.

Names of Jean Acker, first wife of late Rudolph Valentino, and (above) Rahman Bey, a Egyptian magician, are bracketed in a reported love match. They have been playing on the same bill in vaudeville for some time.

SALLY'S SALLIES

If a woman doesn't want to make a bachelor a married man, she probably wants to make a married man a bachelor.

KELLYGRAMS

By FRED C. KELLY

TRIVIAL ITEMS SWAY OUR JUDGMENT

Automobile dealers know that color of paints and upholstery has more influence in selling cars than might be expected.

When a man buys a car for his family, he has to please his wife, and since she knows more about color schemes and fabrics than about mechanics, she pays more heed to upholstery than to horsepower.

We are all probably more influenced by trivial reasons than we should care to admit. Investigators found astonishing facts, not long ago, about the determining reason for average men or women's selection of toothpaste. A canvass of several hundred homes in both the fashionable and poorer sections of a large city, showed that the important question to most of us, when we buy toothpaste, is the flavor. Come to think of it, I'm that way myself. I assume that competition among manufacturers will cause almost any toothpaste to be good enough for the mere

cleaning of one's teeth. But why not derive what pleasure we can from a daily chore that since childhood has been a nuisance? Give me toothpaste flavored mainly with wintergreen and maybe a wee dash of cinnamon and I won't quibble about its degree of scientific efficacy.

Advertisers probably haven't suspected how childish most of us are in making decisions, else they would tell us more of what their product tastes like and less about its benefits.

The last time I bought shaving cream the clerk showed me three or four kinds, all at the same price, and I picked the one that had the prettiest box, even though I immediately threw the box away!

Any observant drug store proprietor can tell you that perfume sales depend almost as much on the appearance of the box and even the color of the liquid as its odor.

I used to know a lawyer who declared that he lost a famous case because of his cuffs. They were detachable cuffs, containing bright blue stripes. He had put them on in such a way that the stripes on the cuffs didn't match. One set of stripes ran up and down, but others ran crosswise. This lawyer made a wonderful speech, summing up his case, but none of the jurors heard a word he said.

They sat and stared at his cuffs, wondering why the stripes didn't match!

FRED KELLY She may not insist on buying a car that her husband says is mechanically poor, just because she likes the trimmings, but she will not be enthusiastic about a car, no matter how powerful or serviceable it is, unless she likes the color it is painted.

MAKING MODERN MENUS

Well might the chef deplore the fact that American women do not give the art of cookery the time and attention it deserves. They are too fond of the steak and the chop which can be tossed into a pan at the last moment and prepared almost instantly. Through their neglect of the stew and the roast Americans are missing the best flavors of the meats.

NEW YORK accident insurance companies are said to be considering the advisability of inserting a clause in their policies invalidating their agreement with any poker player who announces four kings as "two pair."

A wonderful thing is digestion. It's fraught with a power complete.

For whenever there's anything great to be done, we all get together and eat! This being true of cartoonists as well as of ordinary men and women, the Barons of the Drawing Board, officially known as the Cartoonists of America, are going to don their blue-point-and-mock-turtle suits on the evening of the day following the 17th of March, and foregather in the Hotel Astor dining room to do honor to the three deans of their profession—W. A. Rogers, Charles Dana Gibson and Fred Opper.

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Funny, isn't it, how they all just naturally gravitate there.

Little Old New York

NEW YORK March 10.—Along Mazda Lane the popular idea of culture involves one's ability to say: "So's your old man," in six different languages, including the Scandinavian.

A man may not "know his onions," as the saying has it, but there's never any danger of his friends and acquaintances missing them.

John E. Andrus, New York's 86-year-old millionaire straphanger, got back the other day from Fort Myers, Fla., with his soul full of sunshine and disgust. Mr. Andrus hates to spend money and the Floridians, not aware of that little prejudice, hearing he was on his way down to Fort Myers, had their cash registers oiled and everything ready for his reception.

"Oh, it was terrible," quavered Brother Andrus, to a flock of faithful reporters who met him at the train on his return. "They take the hide off you down there. Nobody turns a corner for less than \$20."

Here he's going back and forth from Yonkers every day in our subway for a nickel and he goes down to Fort Myers, and they charge him twenty bucks to turn a corner. We're a lot of dumb bells.

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How to Achieve Beauty

TAKING STOCK OF THE FUNDAMENTALS OF YOUR HEALTH AND BEAUTY

Frequent Drinking of Water for Beauty

Today I am going to proceed to tell you a few reasons why you should drink plenty of water and also to impress upon you the importance of a correct diet. So much of your health and beauty depends on these two essentials.

It is a scientifically known fact that our bodies consist of about 70 per cent water. Your own intelligence will tell you that you must drink a fairly substantial amount of water each day if you are to keep replenishing your system with an amount of water equal to that which you are constantly throwing off or using up in energy.

Then, too, water plays an important part in flushing the system. However, I will talk more about

that later in the week, when I will devote practically one day's talk to the importance of the internal bath, which is now being advocated by leading physicians and specialists throughout the country.

To graphically illustrate to you the manner in which the plentiful drinking of water affects our appearance as well as our health, consider the appearance of a fresh peach that has had plenty of sunlight, air and water and contrast its beauty with that of a dried peach that has been packed away in the darkness and ceased to enjoy these wonderful God-given energy builders—and so it is with we humans. If we don't feed our bodies a sufficient amount of water we are going to become wrinkled, old and dried up.

So if I succeed today in impressing upon your sub-conscious mind the importance of drinking at least two quarts of water a day, I will feel I have accomplished a good deal. Start with two glasses of clear cold water as soon as you jump out of bed in the morning, and then be sure and drink at least four or five more glasses during the day. I am positive if you follow this advice, although it is not new, you will find yourself feeling very much lighter and brighter.

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COMMISSION CONSIDERS ZONING ORDINANCE

CREATION OF BOARD PLANNED TO GOVERN BUILDING ERECTION

Idea Will Require Much Effort City Believes

City Commission, at its regular meeting Thursday night, is expected to further consider plans for enactment of a zoning ordinance with the incidental creation of a City Planning Commission of five members.

Bringing up and operation of such an ordinance presents a difficult problem and commissioners do not intend to go at the problem blindly. City officials are making a comprehensive study of similar ordinances in effect in other cities such as Dayton and Marion, O.

For instance in Dayton an exhaustive study was made of the present and future use of property throughout the city. Business and industrial districts were laid out with extreme care to meet the future needs of every section of the city.

Helpful suggestions were submitted by property owners and every bit of co-operation and advice was found to prove of invaluable assistance.

Many times due to the irregular shape or size of a lot it was found to be a hardship to comply with the strict letter of the law but the Board of Appeals, as it is called in Dayton, is given power to vary provisions of the ordinance to meet conditions.

In Xenia it is necessary to obtain a permit before any construction work is started and at the time of application for a permit, prospective builders are acquainted with the various provisions of the building and fire codes. This is the best way for obtaining authoritative advice.

A zoning ordinance usually is designed to regulate and restrict locations of commerce, business, trades or industries and the location of all buildings designed, erected or occupied for specific use.

For this reason cities are divided into districts set apart as residential, commercial, industrial and unincorporated districts. This restricts the type of buildings built in each district in order to safeguard, principally, the beauty of property in the residential districts. It would prevent encroachment of industry or business in the residential sections, which otherwise might prove a detriment, work a great deal of harm and result in deterioration of property values.

Again when it is thought property values in certain residential sections have increased to such an extent that it is considered wise to extend the business districts, commercial or industrial zones can be established by the planning commission and residences excluded.

The city planning commission would have power to pass judgment on all applications for erection of buildings. Usually meetings are held as the occasion requires and at the discretion of the chairman. There is a fixed place for the meetings which are open to the public. The commission adopts rules of procedure and a record of the proceedings is kept.

Should such an ordinance be passed in Xenia, after a little study and application, its provisions, officials believe, would undoubtedly work out to the satisfaction of all and for the health, safety and welfare of the city.

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH WILL ERECT EDIFICE IN COUNTY

Through efforts of members in the vicinities of Bloomington and Bowersville, the Pilgrim Holiness Church is to build a place of worship at Bowersville.

Tentative plans, made some months ago and later abandoned, were to build such a church at Bloomington in Wilson Twp., Clinton County, about three miles south of Bowersville.

Mrs. Anna May Beard, a convert to the Pilgrim Holiness faith, has donated a plot of ground from her farm on the western outskirts of Bowersville, for the erection of the church building and cemetery.

County Surveyor Howard Collett, Wilmington, surveyed the ground last week.

The church ground has a front footage of fifty feet on the Hussey Pike, directly across the road from the Bowersville High School and extends back 200 feet from the road.

This will make the fourth church in Bowersville as there are already a Methodist Episcopal Church, Methodist Protestant and a Church of Christ.

When You Feel a Cold Coming On Take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets to work off the Cold and to fortify the system against an attack of Grip or Influenza. A Safe and Proven Remedy. The box bears signature of E. W. Grove, 30.

Young Ladies' Missionary Society of Second U. P. Church Will hold a market in Donges Drug Store Saturday, March 12 At 9:30 A. M. Chicken noodles, pies, cakes, Etc.

DAYTON TEAM BEATS CEDARVILLE COURT ARTISTS BY 28 TO 22

Dayton and Troy Fords extracted a 28 to 22 victory from the Cedarville College Yellow-Jackets in an exciting game at the new Alford gymnasium in Cedarville Wednesday night.

The visitors, all professional basketball stars, merely tumbled with Coach Marvin Horst's team in the first half during which Cedarville failed to register a single field goal. The half ended with Dayton leading 19 to 5.

In the second half the Yellow-Jackets stepped out with a volley of baskets and through some accurate shooting by Captain Little and Adair, almost managed to draw up on even terms with the Gem City team.

In a preliminary game, Selma High School conquered Cedarville High's second team 19 to 8. Baker was high point man for the losers with five markers and Wildman leading scorer for Selma with six points.

Cedarville College will play again next Wednesday night at Alford gym meeting an all-star team from the Springfield Industrial League.

The Dayton and Troy Fords represented probably the strongest basketball team, professional or otherwise, the Yellow-Jackets have faced this season. Longnecker, "Jackie" Matusoff, O'Daffer, Sacksteder, Becker and Zink played in the lineup and every player but Zink, a substitute, shared in the scoring spree. Lineups:

Cedarville (22) — Dayton (28) Nagley 1 Matusoff 1 Longnecker 1 O'Daffer 1 Sacksteder 1 Becker 1 Field goals—Matusoff 3, Longnecker 3, O'Daffer 3, Rockhold 2, Becker 1, Adair 3, Little 3, Nagley 1, Rockhold 1. Free goals—O'Daffer 2, Longnecker 1, Matusoff 1, Jacobs 3, Orr 1, Evans 1, Gordon 1. Substitutions: Cedarville—Evans for Nagley, Gordon for Rockhold, Adair for Jacobs, Dayton—Zink for Matusoff.

CEDARVILLE READY FOR PLATTSBURG IN REGIONAL TOURNEY

By DALLAS MARSHALL
Cedarville High School hoopers, Greene County champs, are anxiously awaiting the whistle that will put them in action against the Plattsburg basketballers in the third round of the Class B regional tournament at Dayton, Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

The boys have all trained intensively this week and are in the pink of condition. Captain Wilson's ankle is getting along nicely and he should be able to go at top speed.

To pick a winner of this contest would be a difficult task. It is true that Plattsburg has previously defeated Cedarville this season but the Red and White were not playing the brand of basketball then that they are now. Both teams are given a good chance by various critics. The so-called breaks of the game will probably decide to whom the victory shall go. One thing is certain though that the losers will go down fighting for all they are worth.

Cedarville is the only Greene County team left in the tourney and it is expected that there will be a large delegation of rooters from this section of the country accompanying the team.

Roger Stormont, the fellow who

TO STOP NAUSEA IN THE MORNING

Or Grogginess in the Stomach At any Time

Try a little diapsin. You may be sick in the morning that the odor of food adds to your misery. And yet one or two diapsins instantly settle your stomach, the nausea disappears and you actually become hungry.

Diapsin is composed of powerful digesters. They work on everything you eat, digesting starchy foods, milk, cream, eggs, meat and also absorb acids, gas, heartburn, biliousness and dizziness disappear almost instantly.

Nausea may come from many causes but diapsin works quickly in any case. Expectant mothers get real benefit from diapsin, not alone in freedom from nausea but more nutrition from better digestion.

Get a 60 cent package of Pape's Diapsin at any drug store. You'll never tolerate nausea again. —Adv.

5 Gallons Paint Free

A large paint concern, in furtherance of an advertising and introductory campaign now in progress offers to give free of charge, five gallons of its best house paint, any color, to one property owner at each postoffice or on each rural route in this county. This concern wants its paint on a house in each locality this season which is the purpose of this remarkable offer. It also wants a local salesman in each county for motor oils, paints, roofing, etc. Persons interested are requested to write the CENTRAL OIL CO., Louisville, Ky. Dept. 260.

BEAVER WINS

Beaver All Stars defeated the Xenia Junior Klan second team 31 to 14 in a basketball game at the Xenia Tabernacle Wednesday night.

The game was rough all the way and many fouls were called. Morrison and Jacobs starred for Beaver.

DAILY MARKETS

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK
Hogs—receipts 2,400; heldover, 730. Market: druggery; mostly around steady to 10c lower; some pigs unchanged. Quotations: 250-350 lbs., \$11@12; 200-250 lbs., \$11.50@12.40; 160-200 lbs., \$12.25@12.40; 130-160 lbs., \$12.25@12.40; 90-130 lbs., \$10@12.25; packing sows, \$9.25@10.50.

Cattle—receipts 300; calves 500. Market: generally steady, veal undertones weak, top beef steers, \$14.00@15.00; light yearling steers and heifers, \$7@10; beef cows, \$5.50@7.25; low cutter and cutter cows, \$3.75@4.75; vealers, \$9@14; heavy calves, \$6@9; bulk stock and feeder steers, \$6@8.

Sheep and lamb—market steady. Quotations: top, bulk fat lambs \$16.00; bulk fat lambs, \$15@16; bulk cull lambs, \$7@11; bulk fat ewes, \$5@8.

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK

Cattle—Supply, light; market, steady; choice, \$10.50@10.75; prime \$10@10.50; good, \$9.75@10.40; tidy butchers, \$9@9.50; fair, \$8.25@8.75; common, \$6.75@7.50; common to good fat bulls, \$5@7.50; common to good fat cows \$3.50@4.25; heifers, \$7@8; fresh cows and springers, \$5@10; veal calves, \$15@50. Hogs—Receipts, 1200; market, lower; prime heavy hogs, \$11.75@12.10; heavy mixed, \$12.40@12.60; mediums \$12.75@12.90; heavy yorkers, \$12.75@12.90; light yorkers, \$12.75@12.90; pigs, \$12.75@12.90; roughs, \$10@10.75; stags, \$5@7.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 34,000; market, 10@15c lower; top, \$12.10; bulk, \$11.25@11.90; heavy weight, \$11.25@11.50; medium weight, \$11.30@11.50; light weight, \$11.40@12; light lights, \$11.30@12.10; packing sows, \$10.25@10.90; pigs, \$11.25@12.

Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market,

MILLINERY ANNOUNCEMENT

By Paul Newlone
In order to extend my made to order hat business in Xenia and quickly advertise, I will present free this week to one lady or girl over 18 residing in each neighborhood. One of my chic felt creations, advance style for spring, Easter and all summer wear in black and white or choice of one hundred colors. Please feel free to send me your address.

PAUL NEWLONE,
210 N. Wittenberg
Springfield, Ohio.

Overdoing?

Hurry, Worry and Overwork Bring Heavy Strain.

MODERN life throws a heavy burden on our bodily machinery. The eliminative organs, especially the kidneys, are apt to become sluggish. Retention of excess uric acid and other poisonous waste often gives rise to a dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backache and headaches. The kidneys are not functioning perfectly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. More and more people are learning to assist their kidneys by the occasional use of Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys
Foster-McBurren Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N.Y.

WHY FAT IS DISAPPEARING

Note in every circle how slenderness prevails. Note how many of your friends have reduced. One reason lies in Marmola Prescription Tablets. They combat the cause of excess fat, so results are brought about without requiring abnormal exercise or diet. People have been using Marmola for 19 years, and users have told others. As a result the demand has grown to very large proportions. Let it do for you what it does for your friends—for people all about you. Reduce to your normal weight. All druggists supply Marmola at \$1 a box. Each box contains a pamphlet explaining the results. Go try it. You will be delighted.

SOFT CORNS

MONEY BACK SAYS SAYRE'S DRUG STORE IF MOON'S EMERALD OIL DOESN'T DO AWAY WITH ALL SORENESS AND PAIN IN 24 HOURS.

Get a bottle of Moon's Emerald Oil with the understanding that if it does not put an end to the pain and soreness and do away with the corn itself your money will be promptly returned.

Don't worry about how long you've had it or how many other preparations you have tried. This powerful penetrating oil is one preparation that will help to make your painful aching feet so healthy and free from corn and bunions troubles that you'll be able to go anywhere and do anything in absolute free comfort.

So marvelously powerful is Moon's Emerald Oil that the thousands have found it gives wonderful results in the treatment of dangerous swollen or varicose veins. Sayre's Drug Store is selling lots of it. —Adv.

steady; calves, receipts, 3,000; market, steady; Beef Steers—Good and choice, \$10.50@13.50; common and medium, \$8@10; yearlings, \$8@12.50; Butcher Cattle—Heifers, \$5.50@11; cows, \$5@8; bulls, \$5.50@7.75; calves, \$11@15; feeder steers, \$6.50@9; stocker steers, \$6@8.50; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; market,

strong; medium and choice lambs, \$15@16.25; culls and common, \$11@12.50; yearlings, \$11@13; common and choice ewes, \$4.50@9.50; feeder lambs, \$14@15.

XENIA LIVESTOCK
Greene County Livestock Shipping Ass'n.

Heavies—\$10.75@11.10.
Mediums—\$11.25@11.60.
Lights—\$11.75@11.90.
Packing sows—\$9@9.75.
Calves—\$9.
Sheep—\$6.25.
Lambs—\$13.40.

DAYTON
Receipts 6 cars; market, steady.
Heavies, 200 lbs. up — \$11.60
Mediums, 200 lbs. down — \$12.30
Light, 140 — \$12.30
Pigs, 140 down — \$8@10.75
Stags — \$5@8
Sows — \$9@10.25

CATTLE
Receipts 12 cars; market, steady.
Best fat steers — \$8@9
Veal calves — \$7@9
Medium butcher steers — \$7@8
Best butcher heifers — \$5@6
Best fat cows — \$5@6
Bologna cows — \$3@4
Medium cows — \$4@5

SHEEP
Spring lambs — \$6@10
Sheep — \$2@5

GRAIN
DAYTON
Flour and Grain
(By the Durrill Milling Co.)
(Prices being paid for grain at mill.)
Wheat, No. 1, New, \$1.22.
Rye, No. 2, 30c per bushel.
Corn, 75c per 100 lbs.
Oats, per bu. 46c.

PRODUCE
CLEVELAND PRODUCE
Butter, 56c@57c.
Extra firsts, 53 1/2c@54c.
Firsts, 50c@51c.

SORE LEGS HEALED
Open Legs, Ulcers, Enlarged Veins, Gout, Eczema healed while you work. Write for free book "How to Heal My Sore Legs at Home." Describe your case to A. C. LEE PHARMACY, 139 Green Bay Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS
If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appt. to Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 20 years of study. Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. Know them by their olive color.
To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.
They start the bile and overcome constipation. Take nightly and note the pleasing results. Millions of boxes sold yearly. 15c, 30c, 60c. All Druggists.

Guarantees "Allenrhu" To Ease Rheumatic Pains Twinges, or Money Back
STARTS ITS GOOD WORK WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.
Sayre's Drug Store and every druggist in this county is authorized to say to every rheumatic sufferer that if the first pint bottle of Allenrhu, the enemy of rheumatism, does not ease the agony, reduce swollen joints and do away with even the slightest twinge of rheumatic pain, he will gladly return your money without comment.
Allenrhu usually relieves at once. Immediately after you start to take it the good work begins. It searches out and drives the rheumatic poison out of the body through the kidneys and bowels. Druggists everywhere guarantee it as above in every instance. —Adv.

Cheery Advice To Nervous Women!
"Through over-work and worry I suffered a severe nervous breakdown in health," said Mrs. Raymond Rhoades of 20 Camp St., Ashtabula, Ohio. (Picture above). My nerves seemed to go all to pieces, I would break out all over with a nervous rash, my back ached, I grew so weak and nervous that I was scarcely able to do anything—at the least exertion I would be completely fagged out. But after taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I got along all right, my nerves quieted down, I never had any more rash and I grew strong. I was greatly improved in health in every way by taking the "Favorite Prescription." Obtain Dr. Pierce's Prescription now, in liquid or tablets, from your druggist or send 10c for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce in Buffalo, N. Y. —Adv.

Packing stock, 28c.
Eggs, fresh, 26 1/2c.
Extra firsts, 25 1/2c.
First, 25 1/2c.
Fullets, 27c.
LIVE POULTRY:
Heavy fowls, 29@30c.
Live fowls, 25@26c.
Leghorn fowls, 18@20c.
Heavy broilers, 25@26c.
Springers, 28@30c.
Leghorn broilers, 22@23c.
Roosters, 17@18c.
Geese, 23c@24c.
Ducks, 33c@35c.
POTATOES:
Ohio's, \$11.15@1.25.
Cobblers, \$4@5 in 150 lb. bags.
New Jersey, \$1.40 per hamper.
Idaho, \$4.50 per 110 lb. bag.
Michigan, \$4.00 per 150 lb. bag.
Minnesota, \$3.75@4 per 150 lb. bag.
Home grown, 90c per half bushel basket.
Wisconsin, \$4.25@4.35, 150 lb. bag.
Sweet Potatoes, Jersey, \$1.40 per hamper.
Ohio, high grade animal oils, 25c.
@25 1/2c; lower grades, 20c@22c.
Cheese, York State, 27c@28c.
Old, 23@24c.
Apples, \$3.50@4 bbl.
Maine, \$3.50@4.
Tomatoes, \$1@5 per 10 lb. basket.
Strawberries, Florida, 30c@40c.
Louisiana, \$4.25@4.35 24 pt. crate.
Cabbage, 60c@65c per 1/2 bu. basket.
Cucumbers, \$4.50@5 crate.

Onion, Ohio Yellow, \$2.50@3 per sack.

DAYTON PRODUCE
Retail Price
(Corrected by The Joe Frank Co.)
Butter, 60c.
Eggs, 25c dozen.
Stewing chickens, 43c.
1926 fries, 50c lb.
Spring ducks, 45c lb.
Live roosters, 22c lb.
Live hens, 30c lb.
Prices Being Paid at Plant for Live Poultry and Eggs
Springers, 21c.
Hens, 25c lb.
Colored fries, 25c lb.
1927 leghorn fries, 45c lb.
Turkeys, 40c lb.
Roosters, 13c lb.
Spring ducks, 20c lb.
Butter
Milk Producers' Association)
Butter 55c wholesale.
(By Miami Valley Co-operative Retail Price
XENIA
Heavy hens, 23c.

Young roasters, 15c.
Lehorns, 15c.
Eggs, 18c.

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"ALMOST BEYOND BELIEF," SAYS MRS. RICHIE, SHORTLY LESS OF RHEATH, CHOKING, NERVOUSNESS, PALE, PLEASANT SOON VANISHED.
Mrs. Mary H. Richie, New Paris, Ohio, writes: "My friends soon remarked how much better I looked. The first few applications of Sorebol-Quadruple gave me relief, and now I am completely cured. Its so easy to use. Can't you write me or write and I will tell you my whole experience." Sold at all drug stores or write Sorebol Company, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Locally at Sayre's Drug Store. —Adv.

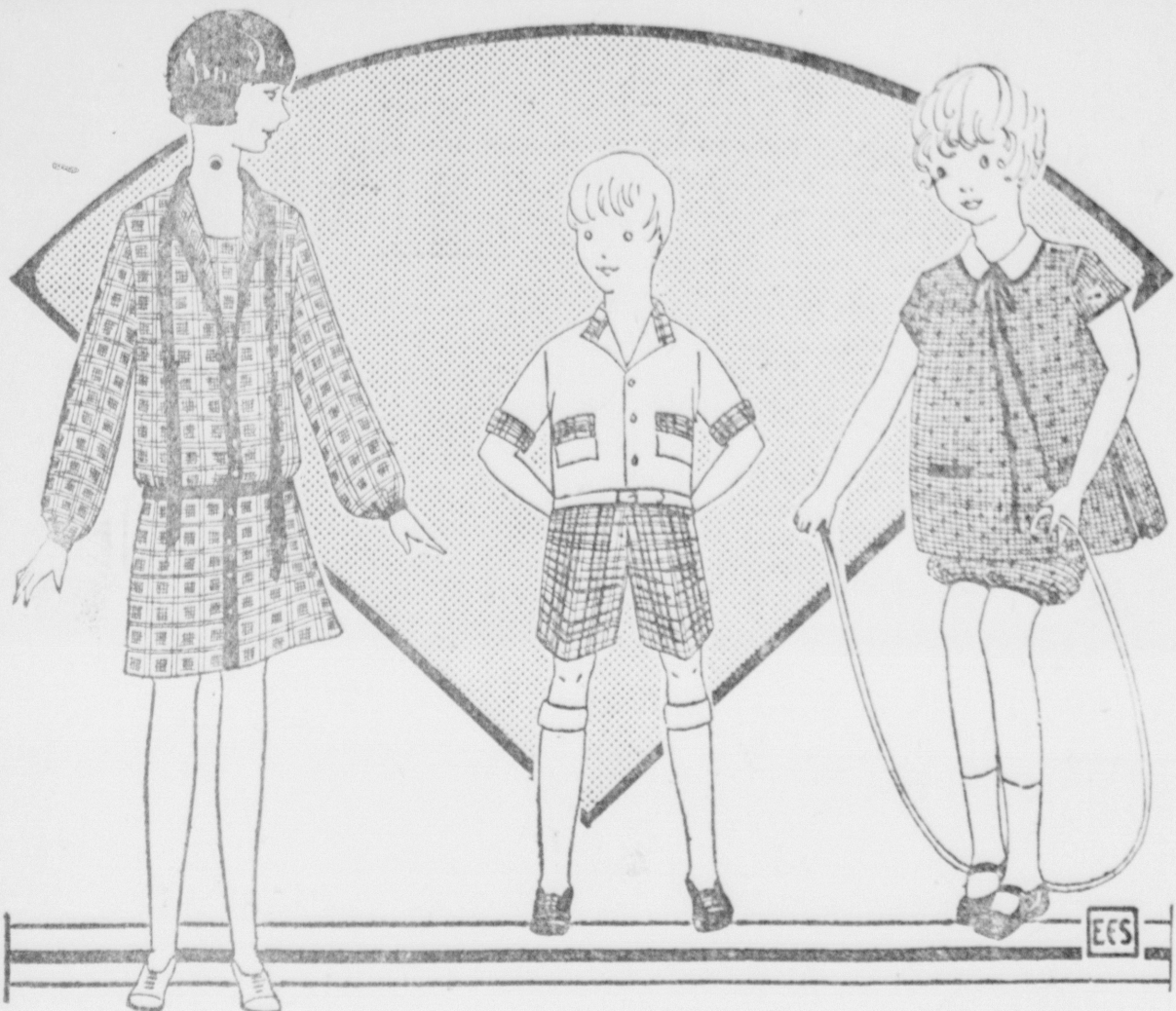
The Piercing Pains of Neuritis
The Torturing, Agonizing Pains are Relieved and You Get Rest and Comfort Again
Torturing pains—the kind that pierce and burn and never seem to let up—that rob a man of his sleep—that make him just a bag of nerves and all worn out. Those are the pains that dope and coal tar products can only relieve.
This safe, effective way to help get rid of the persistent, nerve-racking pains of Neuritis is to get a bottle of Allenrhu Special Formula No. 2. Be sure you get No. 2, which comes in capsule form. Take these little dark green capsules as directed and notice how to supply you. —Adv.

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By
ROBERT BERNSTEIN
14 year old violinist
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3 P. M.
Wurlitzer Concert Hall
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Tickets 50c.
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Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"
That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once. Rub Musterole on the congested parts and see how quickly it brings relief. As effective as the messy old mustard plaster; does the work without blister. Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.
Jars & Tubes
MUSTEROLE
Better than a mustard plaster
TOMORROW-DO A FULL DAY'S WORK
BE AMBITIOUS! KEEP LOOKING AND FEELING YOUNG! BE HEALTHY, HAPPY!
If constipated, bilious, or you suffer from sour, gassy stomach, feel irritable, have no energy and hate to get up in the morning, by all means try simple, sensible "VINCO." A pleasant chocolate coated tablet made of herbs, roots and barks (no dope). Does not gripe or sicken. "VINCO" works day or night—always the same—always effective. Regulates, does not purge, but tones the bowels and intestines. Lay aside nasty salts, dangerous calomel and harsh physics. Get a 25c box of simple, sensible "VINCO." Take a tablet tonight! Feel fine tomorrow! Do a full day's work! Keep looking and feeling young! —Adv.

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"Where High Quality & Low Price Meet"
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All the new spring seasons coat styles will be found here. The vogue of fur trimmings is well represented in this assortment. Beautiful fabrics, smart colors, good tailoring—these are the qualities that will help you decide here.
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Mothers will appreciate these coats for the younger girl. Clever new styles that daughter will love—and serviceable materials and reasonable prices will please mother too.
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Hope bleached muslin. Yard wide 12 1/2c Per yard
Ladies' summer weight union suits. Stock up at this price 39c
Men's Silk Sox. Favored plaid patterns. You'll want a half dozen at this price 24c
O. N. T. Crochet Cotton. Ecu or white only. All numbers Per ball 8c
O. N. T. Sewing Thread. Black or white. All sizes, Per spool 4c
Pearl buttons. Fine quality. Regular 5c a dozen grade, special 2 dozen for 5c
Choose Now! Use Our Lay-Away Plan

WHAT to WEAR and HOW to WEAR IT



By LUCY CLAIRE
Favorite Fashion Adviser
of the Smart Set

I have found that many mothers prefer gingham for their children's clothes because it retains its original freshness after repeated washings. And certainly, successful laundering is a primary requisite for children's clothes. But when you can combine with this utility the beautiful patterns of the new ghingams, you can then account for their great popularity. Gingham definitely proves that economy and modishness can be combined—in this one instance at least.

In the design shown at the left I have pictured this little frock on a child about eight years old. It only requires 1 3/4 yards of material with about 5-12 yards of washable ribbon or bias tape for trimming. I like to imagine this little frock made up in fresh crisp-looking gingham—a white background with pretty cross-bars in green or yellow and plain banded trimming which matches either one of these colors. The simple lines of this dress make it suitable for many ages.

The little boy's suit in the center is a favorite style of mine. I like to imagine this plaid gingham in very mild colors, particularly for the youngsters who are four years old or more—because they can wear bright colors more becomingly than

Whole Family Depends On Tanlac

Suffering from Headaches and Stomach Troubles, Mother Restored to Good Health.

"This tonic is keeping me strong and healthy," says Mrs. J. Poser, 1745 Central Avenue, Cincinnati, mother of 4 children.

"I suffered terribly from indigestion and gas bloated my stomach, pressing against my heart. Headaches and dizzy spells made the days unbearable.

"Nothing seemed to do me any good. After reading about Tanlac I decided to try it. Immediately I began to feel stronger. My appetite returned. Headaches and dizziness disappeared. Tanlac built up my strength and health. It helps everyone in our family to keep in good health."

"This tonic, made from roots, bark and herbs according to the famous Tanlac formula, usually builds up weak bodies, drives out causes of pain and anguish. Take wonderful Tanlac. Ask your druggist for a bottle—today! Over 40 million bottles sold."

NO. 43 D.D. JONES XENIA OHIO
ST. DRUG STORE

PECULIARITIES

EVERYBODY has his PECULIARITIES, as the SAYING goes, and we GUESS it's right, too—FOR instance, we know A MAN who spits all THE time when he's TALKING to you and ANOTHER man in this TOWN pulls the lobe of HIS right ear whenever HE gets into an argument, WHICH is often, and still ANOTHER man we know CAN'T eat pumpkin pie and IS partial to red neckties—AND so it goes—and IF you were to ask us WHAT our chief hobby IS we believe we would HAVE to say that it's Penslar Remedies for we HAVE been selling them IN Xenia for 15 YEARS and they have MADE good in every way, SO why shouldn't we BE proud of them?

Yours very truly,

D. D. Jones

the tiny youngsters. But the plaid is so much more effective if it is combined with a plain material for the waist. The four-year-old size takes but a yard of the plain and a yard of the plaid gingham and you need not fear the colors because gingham is both sunfast and tub-fast and you will find that it resists the severest boiling and soap-suds.

The frock at the extreme right is shown on a little girl about four years old, although it may be had in sizes from 2 to 8 years. I like to see straight simple lines on a youngster of this age—with no suggestion of a belt. Because these dresses are worn so very short, I

IS THERE NO RELIEF FROM SKIN TORTURE?

Must I Continue to Suffer the Unbearable Itching?

Are you one of those unfortunate ones who are going through life suffering with a skin disease, making you uncomfortable, making you less efficient, interfering with your working hours, ruining your sleep? You may have tried many things without relief. Why not try S.S.S.?

For more than 100 years it has been giving relief in many forms of skin disease. Thousands of letters of gratitude prove its worth.

"I feel so happy for what S.S.S. has done for me that I want others to know about it. I suffered twenty long years from eczema. At times

CORNS
Quick relief from painful corns, tender toes and pressure of tight shoes.
Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads
At drug and shoe stores everywhere

the itching was unbearable. During that time, I used all kinds of salves without receiving any real benefit. After taking six bottles of S.S.S., I was cured of this dreadful disease. I recommend S.S.S. to anyone suffering from eczema, because I cannot praise it enough for what it has done for me." Cleophas Forte, Soldiers and Sailors Home, Quincy, Ill.

S.S.S. is purely vegetable. It is extracted from the fresh roots of medicinal plants and herbs and gives to Nature what she needs in building you up so that your system throws off the cause.

S.S.S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

TOGGERY SHOP SOLD TO E. A. DE MINT

Purchase of the Togger Shop, 15 Green St., from F. C. Janton, Columbus, was announced Wednesday by E. A. DeMint, who for the past two years has been associated with Jobe Bros. as window decorator and advertising manager.

Mr. DeMint was for years buyer for the H. B. Clavin Co., New York syndicate, operating a chain

NOTICE

Xenia Aerie 1689
F. O. E.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11
8 P. M.

Nomination of Worthy
Trustees
George Killeen, W. P.

of forty-five stores over the country. He later became identified with Anthony Bros., Dayton merchants, and then for three years managed one of the When stores at Springfield.

The Togger Shop has operated under the ownership of Mr. Janton since February 10 when the former owner, F. E. Tilton made an assignment for the benefit of creditors.

The store will be known as DeMint's Togger Shop. The new owner will install a complete new line of spring and summer furnishings. The new owner will be assisted in the management of the store by his son, Russell.

Itching, Irritations of the Skin and Scalp

Use Zemo, Healing Liquid

Don't suffer shame of ugly, itchy skin. Never endure Skin Tortures and Irritations. Banish Pimples, Blisters and Blackheads. Apply pleasant-to-use, dependable Zemo Liquid. Use at any time. The safe, sure way to keep skin clear and free from blemishes. At drug-gists—60c and \$1.00.

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\$35.00 OVERCOATS \$17.50
\$25.00 OVERCOATS \$12.50

\$30.00 OVERCOATS \$15.00
\$20.00 OVERCOATS \$10.00

Look at the Big Savings. Buy one for next season.

Men's and young men's fine Suits and Trousers 1-4 to 1-3 off.

Men's Furnishings, all kinds, 1-4 to 1-3 off. Latest Hats and Caps 1-4 to 1-3 off. Leather Vests, Duck Coats, Sheep-lined Coats, Lumberjacks, Sweaters, Slip-overs 1-4 to 1-3 off.

LARGEST SHOE DEPARTMENT IN XENIA

FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

Shoes, Oxfords, Slippers, Rubbers, Rubber Boots, Galoshes, 1, 2, 4, 6 Buckle Arctics 1-4 to 1-3 off.

Specials This Week—Latest Rain Coats for ladies, misses, men and boys—all new colors.

DON'T MISS THIS LAST CHANCE SALE

C. A. KELBLE'S

BIG CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE
17-19 WEST MAIN STREET

ORPHIUM TONIGHT

"WOMEN LOVE DIAMONDS"

A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer 7 reel drama with Pauline Starke, Owen Moore, Lionel Barrymore, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.

Also a 2 reel Comedy
Admission—15c

FRIDAY

"THE MILLION DOLLAR HANDICAP"

The most delightful turf picture ever screened.

With Vera Reynolds, Edmund Burns and Ralph Lewis

Also Charley Bowers in a whirlwind 2 reel comedy and

PATHE NEWS
Admission—15c



Indoors or out—Kodak

Just 3 feet 2 3/8 inches tall today—a chance for a picture that's typical of the opportunities around any home—yours for example.

And indoors or out, Kodak pictures are easy to make from the first, as we'll quickly show you if you'll stop at our Kodak counter.

Always a complete stock of Kodaks, Kodak Film and accessories at this store.

Autographic Kodaks from \$5 up

Sayre's Drug Store
THE REXALL STORE
Xenia, Ohio.

BABB MEANS BEST

Stimulator Bargains—Come In—See Them
PRICES GOOD TO MARCH 17TH



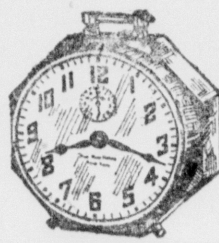
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29c



Mortise Lock Sets.
Bevel Plate Design.
Genuine R & E make.
Dull brass or old copper. Per set, only

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Alarm Clocks that will get you up on "fast time." Big Ben—Little Ben and others.

\$1.25 to \$3.25



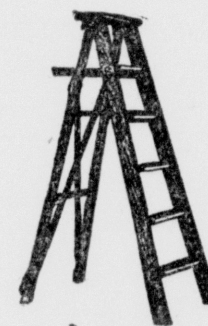
Aluminum Percolators
Beautiful Colonial Pattern. Size 2 pt. to 6 pt. Priced

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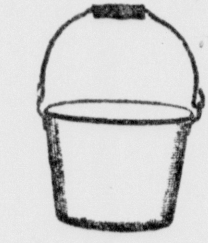
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All copper—nickel plated. Only a few at this low price

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"Wheeling" Make
Galvanized Pails
"Hand dipped in molten zinc."

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Every home needs one.
Sizes 4 ft. to 10 ft.
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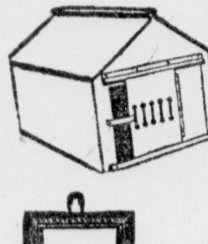
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Dairy Pails.
Sizes 12 qt. and 14 qt.
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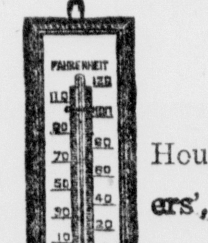
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Thermometers.
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White enameled. A big dollar value. Babb's price

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BEAUTIFUL SPRING COATS

We are showing a complete line of beautiful Spring Coats in the newest shades and fabrics, in regular and stout sizes. Come in and look them over—you are sure to find the coat you want in this large stock.

Group No. 1 consists of unusual values in new Spring Sport Coats, priced low at

\$10

Group No. 2 consists of beautiful Sport Coats, Plain or Fur Trimmed—you must see these at

\$19.75

Group No. 3 consists of Man Tailored Sport Coats, Dressy Twill Coats, and Fur Trimmed Sport Coats in all this season's newest and smartest styles, your choice at

\$25



Meadowbrook
California SPORTS HATS
Tons and Country

Just Arrived!

New Hats that lead the Mode

These new Meadowbrooks, the Original California Sports Hats, show high, creased crowns and the new trend in millinery contour that gives an air of youth. Ornamentation, not on the hat, but in its contour, makes a frame of flattering beauty for the wearer. In stunning new colors for early Spring and a variety of new materials—silks, the new crocheted straws, and pastel-toned felts.

Jobe Bro's

Judge Wright Proposes County Court to Remedy Fee-Splitting Justice

In view of the United States Supreme Court decision invalidating commercialized liquor courts in Ohio in which judges are paid on a fee basis, Probate Judge S. C. Wright took "judicial notice" of the ruling by coming out informally with a proposal to remedy the situation.

Judge Wright is in agreement with the decision that a man cannot have a fair trial if the judge before whom he is tried has a financial interest in finding him guilty.

He proposes creation of a new county court to eliminate present village mayor's and justice courts.

CONTINUE HEARING IN PROBATE COURT

Hearing in the statutory proceedings brought in Juvenile Court against Floyd Watts, of near Springfield, by his seventeen-year-old niece, Hazel Stewart, ward of the court, has been set for March 17 by Judge S. C. Wright, following the preliminary hearing Wednesday morning.

Watts' bond has been fixed at \$800. He denies charges filed by his niece that he is the father of her unborn child.



Things to Know Before Baby Comes

THE expectant mother's comfort and well being is very important. And one of the most important things for her to do is to use Mother's Friend to keep the skin and muscles soft and pliable—thus aiding the tissues and muscles to relax and adjust themselves to the changes during motherhood. Mother's Friend is the formula of an eminent physician and has been used by expectant mothers for over three generations. No woman awaiting the joy of motherhood should allow the days to pass without using Mother's Friend.

Mrs. Laura Hendrix, Gracemont, Okla., writes: "I used Mother's Friend with all my babies and I think it is the grandest help that has ever been discovered for expectant mothers. I can't say too much for it."

Mother's Friend is safe for you to use because it contains no harmful drugs and is applied externally. Mother's Friend—the same as used by our mothers and grandmothers—don't wait—start using tonight—and meanwhile write Bradford Regulator Co., Dept. 31, Atlanta, Ga., for free valuable booklet "Motherhood and the Coming Baby" (sent in plain envelope). It tells how Mother's Friend can help you during expectancy and at childbirth. This booklet also tells you many other things you want to know. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all druggists—everywhere.

Pile Sufferers

How Far Have You Gotten With Messy Ointments?

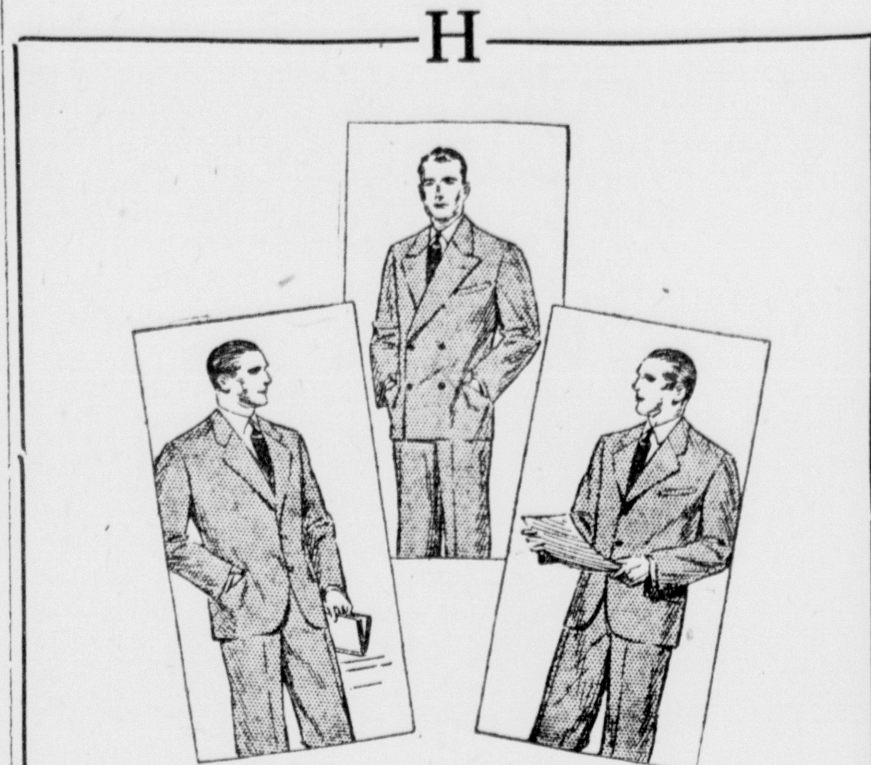
Don't be surprised that suppositories and salves haven't rid you of Piles. The most they can do is bring temporary relief. They never reach the cause—blood stagnation in the lower bowel.

Piles can be removed by an operation. Sure! But who wants to submit to the surgeon's knife when a harmless little tablet taken internally can banish the cause of Piles and bring real, lasting and honest-to-goodness relief?

Forget about an operation and stop using salves. Hem-Roid the internal remedy discovered by Dr. Leonhardt, should quickly rid you of Piles the same as it is doing for thousands of others or costs nothing.

Get a package of Hem-Roid today at Sayre's Drug Store or any druggist. It is absolutely harmless and if you aren't delighted with the results you can have your money back.

—Adv.



New SPRING SUITS are arriving daily and there's interesting variety among them. Not only are they interesting in variety but in pattern and price.

Fit, fabrics, tailoring, style; all so good that we simply say "satisfaction guaranteed."

We Give Chances on Chevrolet

HYMAN'S CLOTHING

We Give U. S. Purple Stamps

Greene County's Finest Men's Store

Sales everywhere indicate the greatest Essex popularity of all time. Already far ahead of factory production, retail orders continue to gain on the largest output in Essex history.



ESSEX is a SUPER-SIX

And it differs from all other "Sixes"—not by little margins—but bold, vivid advantages that instantly stand out from all comparison.

Here is 50 miles an hour all day long, with ease to car and comfort to passengers. (Yet that is far below its maximum speed.)

Here is size, generous passenger room, simple, positive controls. No car of any price excels its easy riding qualities.

Here is economy, engineered not only to savings in fuel and oil, but particularly to freedom from early depreciation, and to lowest maintenance costs.

There are four new bodies on the Essex Super-Six chassis—beautiful, smart in line, luxurious in upholstery and appointment. They are the greatest and deservedly most popular values Essex ever built.

2-PASSENGER SPEEDABOUT \$700
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Fascinating FASHIONS for SPRING



Coats For Early Spring

These coats chosen for their exquisite materials and for their tailoring, which is entirely according to the details of style found most in favor for immediate and spring wear. The fashion loving woman will delight in these handsome sport coats. Women who have looked elsewhere can best appreciate these superior values.

\$15.00 up

For Every Spring Occasion
NEW SPRING FROCKS

\$10.00 \$15.00 \$25.00

The outstanding themes of advanced fashions are represented in these new spring frocks that are such a find at but ten, fifteen or twenty-five dollars.

Flat Crepes And Crepe De Chines

Affairs from now until the end of summer call for just such frocks as these. The new necklines with or without bows—tucks and pleats carry out the newest fashion ideas.



HATS TO GREET SPRING

Exquisite hats designed in gracious picture shapes or brisk, pert sport styles. A lovely collection of silks and straws—novelty straws, crocheted types, Milan and Bangkoks.

\$5.00 Up

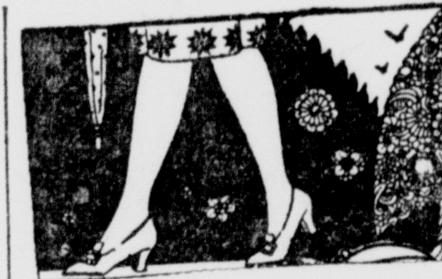
New spring line of Children's Bonnets and Hats now on display.



The Success Of The TAILORED SUIT Sets Even Paris Agog

Each spring, it seems, the tailored suit again comes into its own—but this spring, from all indications, it will be smarter than ever before. It is seen wherever smart women foregather, the chic suit of navy blue twill. Before making your choice, be sure and visit our Ready-to-Wear Department.

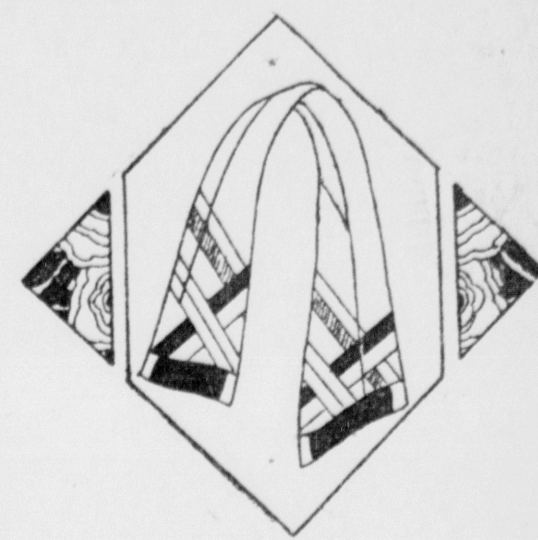
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Phoenix Hosiery

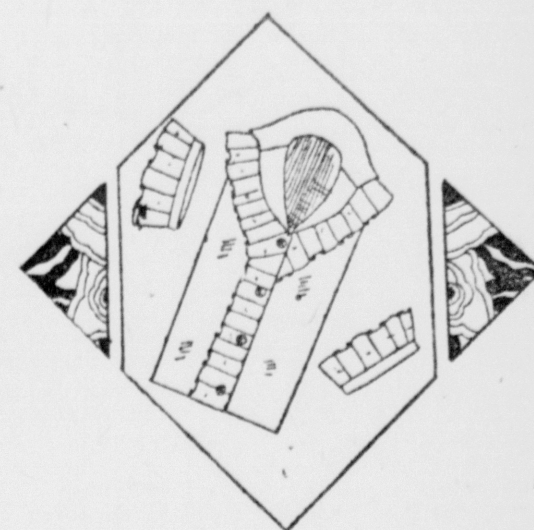
\$1.50 and \$1.95

Smarter hosiery with the ability to resist wear over longer miles of hard service. In late, good looking shades. In medium and service chiffon.



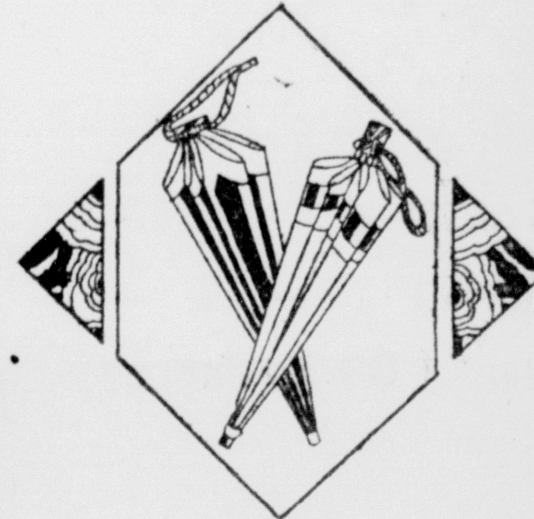
Futurism still finds a way to creep into accessories for women who enjoy wearing gay colors via the scarf.

\$2.50 to \$3.50



With the suit coming back into its own for spring, a vest set such as one of these will surely find favor with women.

\$1.00 to \$3.50

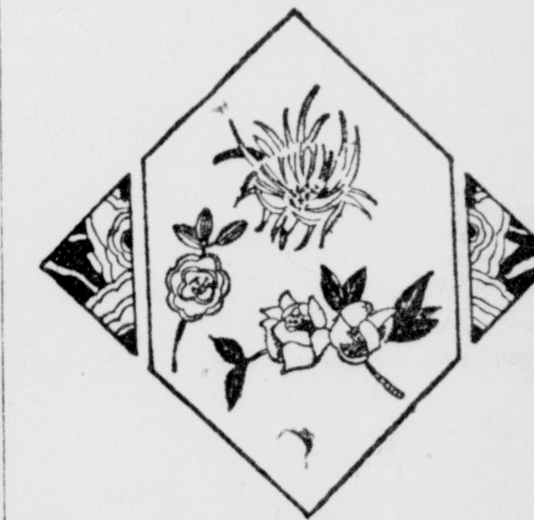


This is the month for a new silk umbrella. Of fine materials with fancy handles. All popular shades in "Gloria" with fancy borders.

\$3.50 to \$5.00

Silk umbrellas—newest handles

\$5.00 to \$15.00



Flowers! They bring springtime into winter and for this we're glad. So many varieties they would make a Burbank green with envy.

50c to \$2.50



Leather bags for present use. In the popular under-arm bag and also pouch bag.

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"Mitzi" Narcisse Powder

A NEW FACE POWDER

Offered Friday And Saturday Only
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47c



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"Mitzi" Narcisse Face Powder is water proof. You can swim, bathe, perspire and it remains on until you remove it with cream or soap and water. Free from lead and bismuth. Mitzi is made in three shades; white, flesh, and brunette, perfumed with Narcisse Perfume. Try this box at 47c and save 53c. Cut this coupon and redeem by Friday, March 11-12. After this date the price will be \$1.00.

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"Carter's" Rayon Silk Underwear.
New spring shades.

Vests \$1.00
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FLYING PAIR TO TRY PACIFIC FLIGHT ALONE



LEFT, LEE SCHOENHAIR; RIGHT, LIEUT. W.J. WALLACE

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SAN DIEGO, Cal., Mar. 10.—An unusual combination of safety and danger will be faced by the two aviators who will attempt to fly to Honolulu this month in a giant Fokker monoplane. They'll be without gear for landing on the surface of the Pacific, but with enough fuel to fly nearly twice the distance.

Lee Schoenhair, former army aviator, and Lieut. W. J. Wallace, U. S. marine aviator, will brave the dangers which came within an ace of claiming the late Com. John Rodgers, in a 2,200-mile dash for Honolulu.

Without other planned aides or guides, they will rise from North Island, the combined army and navy air station here, and dash toward the west.

They will ride in a \$60,000 plane, larger than the famous ship in which Com. Richard Byrd crossed the North Pole. At present the

plane is being manufactured at Hazelbrook Heights, N. J., and will be ready for flights during February.

Three motors will power the craft, which will carry a load of 6,800 pounds and take speed of 100 miles an hour, as a result of which the fliers hope to complete their journey successfully—in twenty-two hours.

Schoenhair and Wallace will navigate and pilot the big ship jointly. The moot question, "will the army or the navy reach Honolulu first?" will not be settled by this flight for the former represents the army in that he once served as an army aviator, while Wallace wears navy insignia.

The plane will not be equipped with floating gear, but a small radio set will adorn it. Safety will be found largely in its strength, the wings being more than three feet thick at the fuselage, and its enormous curving range.

It is believed the ship can travel 1,400 miles farther than the distance between San Diego and Honolulu, or a total of 3,600 miles, without fuel replenishment. Even when battling adverse winds the plane could be in the air nearly forty hours, and still reach Honolulu, Schoenhair believes.

And aviators here whisper that should the forthcoming flight prove successful, the fliers will immediately ship the plane back to San Francisco, fly it to New York, and hop off for a non-stop flight to Paris—for honor and cash.

Both Schoenhair and Wallace have had long experience. The former has spent 1,500 hours in airplanes, while Wallace is considered one of the marine corps' crack pilots.

"We believe the ship will be strong enough to get us there,"

says Schoenhair, a youthful chap, "but if it doesn't our approximate position will be known through radio signals we will send out at frequent intervals."

Beyond that, the two "intrepid fliers" do not commit themselves. They're ready for what is to aviators the great experience—a cross-country or cross-water flight under conditions with which they have little acquaintance.

BABIES CRY FOR "CASTORIA"

Prepared Especially for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over thirty years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups. Contains no narcotics. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

The genuine bears signature of

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LUNG EASE contains Rock Candy, Glycerine, Whisky, Horsehound, Bonaset, and other Palatable Ingredients.
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SPECIAL!

A 38c LAYER CAKE

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At Your Favorite Store

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Friday and Saturday, March 10, 11 (only)

B & C Pineapple Layer Cake consists of a delicious golden sponge cake (2 layers) with luscious Hawaiian crushed pineapple between the layers and in the icing. Order one today from your grocer (quantities limited).

B & C CAKES ARE TASTY, WHOLESOME, NOURISHING—wrapped in sanitary packages.



WIFE PRESERVERS



Before putting away spare silver, clean it thoroughly; wrap it up in a dark blue paper, with a few camphor balls in the parcel, and when the silver is unwrapped it will be bright.

KEEP THE LAMP SOCKETS FILLED

WITH LAMPS FROM

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Electric Shop

52 W. Main St.

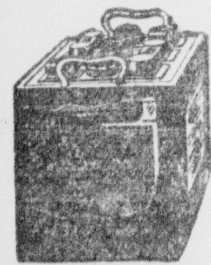
SPRING And SUMMER

We are ready now to show our new styles for spring and summer. We have the finest line of domestic and imported woollens we have ever shown. We make clothes for you to your measure to fit you and we sell suits from \$31.00 up. Give us a call for your spring suit.

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11 Plate \$8.95

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Griffon Clothes \$27.50 to \$40

New Spring Ties

\$1.00

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Sabina	First 1 M. cu. ft. 1.25 Second 1 M. cu. ft. 1.00 All over 2 M. cu. ft. .60 (Same rate as Sabina)
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Grafton	Per M. cu. ft. .75
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Pemberville	First 500 cu. ft. \$1.00 Bal. .65
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Jeffersonville	First 1 M. cu. ft. .95 Bal. .65
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Morristown	First 1 M. cu. ft. .95 Bal. .65

New Concord	Per M. cu. ft. .50 Service Charge 1.00
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Zanesville	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Old Washington	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
New Carlisle	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Covington	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Piqua	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Sidney	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Tippecanoe City	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Troy	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
West Jefferson	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
East Fultonham	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Fultonham	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Roseville	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
White Cottage	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
Beem City	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50
London	First 500 cu. ft. 1.00 Bal. .50

Mt. Vernon	First 1 M. cu. ft. 1.25 Bal. .50
Fredericktown	First 1 M. cu. ft. 1.25 Bal. .50
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SEES PERSONALITY BESTING RADIO



NEWEST PHOTO OF MARY LEWIS, WHO I CALLED
"THE BEAUTY QUEEN OF PRIMA DONNAS"

By MARY BLADE

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NEW YORK, Mar. 10.—Is radio going to put the publicity-produced opera and the concert hall out of business?
Impresarios answer in the negative. Some of them say that radio is making better music more popular, with resultant benefits to musicians.
But, of course, the musicians would benefit either way, since great artists like McCormick, Kreisler, Bori and Mary Lewis receive as much, or more, for an appearance before the microphone as for a concert or starring role in opera.
Mary Lewis, prima donna soprano of the Metropolitan, who made her radio debut last season, and who broadcasted again Sunday evening

upon a combination of appearance, voice and histrionic ability. Over the radio appearance is nothing, and the result will be the development of a group of famous radio artists to whom success was denied in opera, long the gateway to a concert career.
"We are now seeing the early development of chain broadcasting, which I believe will increase steadily, making for fewer and better radio artists with voice paramount. These artists will acquire a vogue hitherto unknown. The popularity won over the radio will result in largely increased concert earnings. The concert, however, will remain the real test of a singer's success, whether attained by way of opera or the radio."
Miss Lewis feels that her radio debut placed her before the American concert public more quickly and effectively than could have been accomplished in any other way, and believes that a judicious amount of broadcasting is helpful to any singer's success.

NEW JASPER

Mrs. Emma Carnes, Belmont, was the Sunday guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jamison.
Delmer Matthews, who had both bones in his right arm broken Sunday morning when cranking an auto, is getting along nicely.
The Rev. M. L. Massie has been confined to his home the last few days with grip.
W. J. Fudge, who has been seriously ill for some time, is not improved.
George F. Smith, colored, who was taken ill Monday, was removed to his nephew's home, Mr. Orville Smith, near Clifton.
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Erber Allen and family, were Sunday guests of J. P. Allen, Octa.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson, Mrs. O. C. Shirk, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harve Fields, Clifton Pike.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis St. John, Xenia-Jasper Pike, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Nettie Sutton.
Mrs. Fannie Morrow and daughter, Miss Helen, and son, Orville,

Dayton, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Spahr, Sunday.
Mr. Clay Swigger and family, who lived on the Knigley farm for the last three years, near Xenia, have moved back to his place.
Mr. and Mrs. Press Thornhill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rock, of Zimmerman.
The Nall Keg Club met Monday evening and elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Lon McCollough; vice-president, Roy Matthews; secretary, John Wilkinson; treasurer, O. C. Shirk. After the business meeting they adjourned until next Monday evening when Babe Anderson will make an address before the club on agriculture and the betterment of the community.

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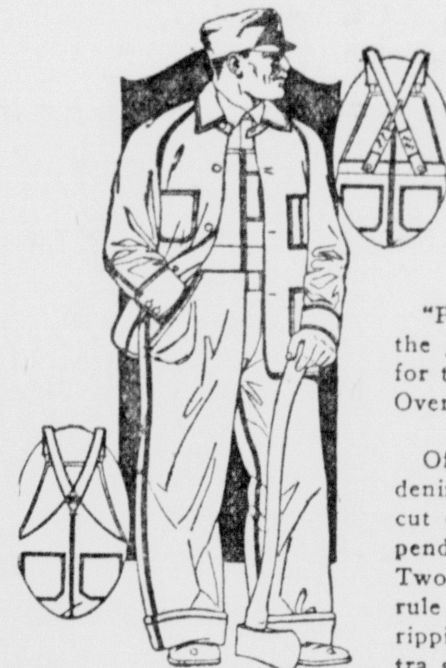
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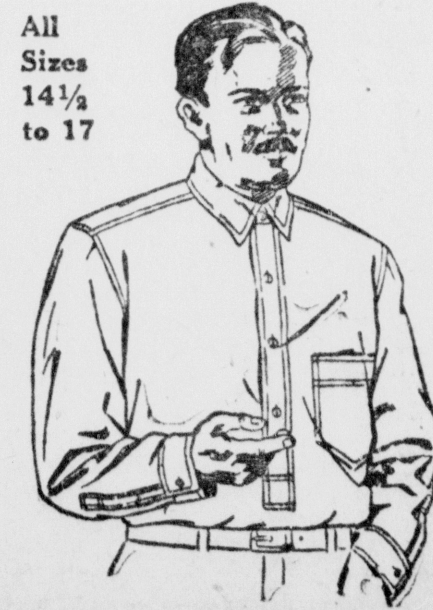


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by Kathryn Kenney

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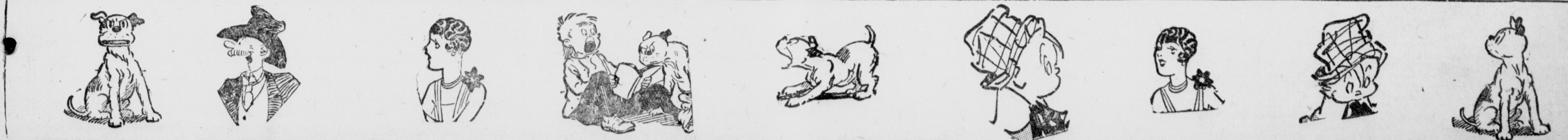
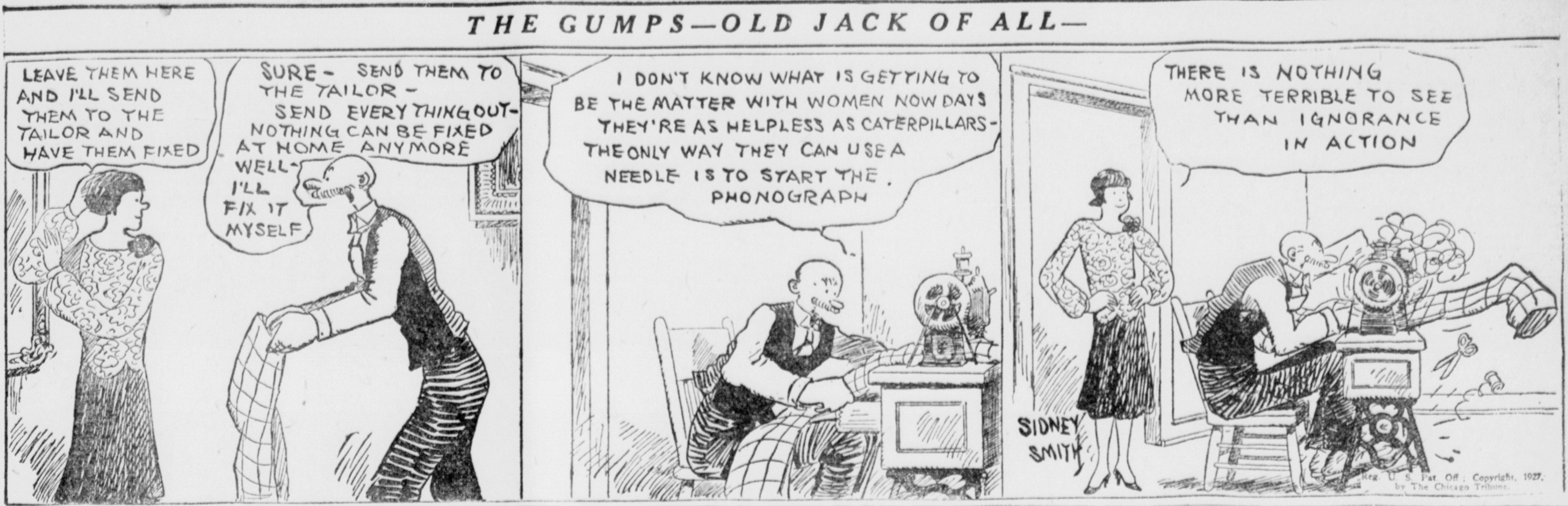
Today everyone goes in for exercise; let heart failures fall where they may! No one has passed the "toddling" age, now that the "Black Bottom" is in. Now grandma leads grandma a merry dance. The night clubs are filled with people trying to regain their figures and their jewelry. Some people go in for winter sports and others dress the part. It's hard not to slide nowadays, anyway. If you are going head first into the show, it's a good idea to be well shod. There is not as much exercise being done on the "bars" as formerly. But just as many girls

has on white breeches. If you're going to take a fence, why not wait until after dark? At many a horse show it's the man who's shown up. Some people are brought up to horse and others are vegetarians. Golf may be an old man's game, but if that's the case, a lot of men are old before their time! In winter golf a man takes a long, cold drive. It's played with red balls and fanatics. Now that summer is coming, a lot of people are going to overdo the porch "swing." Some of us touch the floor twelve times every morning and others don't come to that often. Many a



are making a try for the "rings!" Tennis is not the only game to be played on the courts. There are a lot of put-up games as well. When a man sees his wife leaving the house in sport clothes he never knows whether she's going to serve a ball or a summons. A lot of people take their exercise on a moving stairway. They think that they have covered the ground and that's all that's necessary. A little more of it and the ground will cover them! Many a man who rides for a fall

man lays down on his setting-up exercises. Most of the sports are of the indoor variety. Casey at the bat has given over to Casey on a bat. At that, those in the cheering section often get the most exercise. And it certainly improves their manners because they get to their feet every time anyone "comes home." Man-chasing is still the girls' favorite sport. And it's one time when they are glad to see the game turn on them!



STEPMOTHER KILLED BY YOUTH, 15, "WANTED TO DIE", HE SAYS



EARL JACKSON, 15 (LEFT), WHO HAS CONFESSED TO KILLING HIS STEPMOTHER, MRS. MARY JACKSON, 21, AND BURYING HER BODY IN A SHALLOW GRAVE, AND A PICTURE OF HIS SISTERS, HAZEL, 10, AND IRENE, 2.

By JAMES HENDRICKSON
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POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Mar. 10. — "Step-mother wanted me to kill her and I did," sobbed 15-year-old Earl Jackson. "She said she was tired of living. She said she didn't want to live with daddy any longer."

longer. She said she would kill me if I didn't kill her." In that way the Jackson youth related plans for the murder—but were they correct? Prosecuting Attorney Byron Kearbey believes they were. He thinks Jackson's father, Marion Jackson, 38, is responsible for his wife's death. He believes if Earl killed the woman, it was at his father's bidding. Earl Jackson is on one floor and his father on another at the county jail. The father denies responsibility for the crime and protested to be deported. "When I saw that Mary (Mrs. Mary Jackson, his stepmother) meant for me to kill her, I told her that if she really wanted it done I could do it," explained the boy, as the tears trickled down his cheeks. "I told her I would, and she turned her back to me. We were down in the cotton field, a quarter of a mile from the house. When she turned her back I picked up my axe, which I had taken along to chop rabbits out of logs, and hit her in the head. She fell and I hit her head again. I wanted to be sure she was dead." This is what the prosecuting attorney deposes Earl Jackson told him. Kearbey then said the Jackson youth went ahead to tell how he disposed of the body. He went back to the house, obtained a shovel, and returning to the place where the slain woman lay, he dug a hole, rolled the body into it, and covered it up. The boy further declared that his father had gone to Flisk on a shopping tour, and when he returned he was furious when told that his wife had gone to Little Rock. "Later he asked me if I didn't kill her," the boy told, Kearbey says. "I denied that I had killed her. Kearbey asked him why he didn't want his father to know about it. 'Why, I just hated to tell him.'"

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READ THIS FIRST:
BOBBIE RANSOM, a little school teacher, is film struck and madly eager to break into motion pictures. Neither her widowed father, nor ANDY JERROLD, who wants to marry her, will lend her the money to take her to Hollywood. But she borrows \$500 from the WIDOW PARKINS, who is to be her father's second wife, and goes. At MRS. MANGAN'S boarding house she meets Stella Delroy, an extra girl in pictures. Through her, Bobbie gets a few days' work at the Magnifica Studio, where ROY SCHULTZ, a famous director, takes a short interest in her and then drops her. But she becomes great friends with LOTTIE, his wife. Lottie is bitterly jealous of a gold-digger movie "camp," named MONICA MONT, and because of her she finally leaves Roy. Monica gets herself engaged to wealthy TED PIPER, so that Lottie will not name her as "the other woman" in her divorce suit. The assistant director, GUS MACCLOUD, falls in love with Bobbie and she with him. Through the long months when she has no work, he lends her money on a bracelet that was Andy's Xmas gift to her; and he promises her a part in the first picture he makes. Then Bobbie begins to hear queer stories about him. Stories about his love affair with the little Stella who presently commits suicide. Stories about the wife who is divorcing him. Lottie tells her that he encouraged Roy to go "stepping" outside his own family. Gus's wife gets the divorce, but he says nothing to Bobbie about it, although he goes on making violent love to her. Finally she becomes angry because he never talks marriage to her, and she angrily refuses the part he offers her in a movie. She goes to work in a book shop where he finds her and offers her the part again, in a business-like way. She takes it, and shortly finds herself back on the old love-making basis with him. They become engaged, and she writes Andy the news but gets no answer. Roy Schultz gives Bobbie a part in a picture. She makes a good salary and Gus urges her to get a flat of her own. One day while she's looking for one, she meets Monica who is going to be married suddenly, that afternoon. Gus is the best man for Ted Piper, and Bobbie shops for a new dress to wear as maid-of-honor to Monica. Mrs. Mangan, wildly excited over the news, helps her to dress. NO GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER LXV
"I'll fix your bath for you while you get your clothes off," Mrs. Mangan said as they reached the top of the stairs. Bobbie caught a whiff of lavender as she opened the big linen-closet in the upper hall, and took out an armful of fluffy Turkish towels. A minute later came the sound of hot water rushing into the tub, and by the time she was out of her clothes and into her bathrobe, everything was ready for her. In the bathroom, Violet bath-crystals melting in the water, bath mat spread on the floor, clean towels over the back of the chair beside the tub. A jar of rose-scented dusting powder on the glass shelf above it. "Oh, Mrs. Mangan, how I'm going to miss you when I leave," she said regretfully as she closed the door upon the good woman. And how she was going to miss her! How she was going to miss the well-ordered house that always smelled of sunshine and cleanliness! How she was going to miss the comfortable kitchen, with the tea pot always waiting on the back of the stove, with the cat purring peacefully on the sunny back porch outside the screen door, with the crisp white curtains fluttering at the windows. "If I had time to look after a flat of my own, I'd love having one," she explained when she came back into the bedroom where Mrs. Mangan sat, running pale-green baby ribbon through her princess silk; for her. "But I don't have any time to do anything for myself— I've worked like a dog all day at Magnifica. I suppose I'll have to hire some part-time maid who'll shove all the dust under the rug and never turn the mattresses. And that'll just drive me crazy— I must have things neat around me." "That's because you're a born housekeeper," Mrs. Mangan answered, "ing the ends of the ribbon into a lovers' knot."

"I?" Bobbie's eyes were round with surprise, "a born housekeeper?" Oh, Mrs. Mangan, you don't know me! I hate housework. Mrs. Mangan looked around her at the bedroom. Everything in it as in place, the brushes and combs in their glass tray on the dresser, the books stacked neatly on the center of the electric room, the cushions on the window seat "plumped up" and carefully arranged. Beyond, in the clothes-closet, every dress was on a separate hanger, and below them a row of little row of shoes. "I should say that you did a pretty good job of housekeeping right here in this room of yours," said Mrs. Mangan. "I've never seen such dresser drawers as yours— everything as neat and clean as a new pin. All the stockings mended and wrapped up in tissue paper."

"Oh, Aunt Gertrude taught me to keep my things neat," Bobbie cut in, drawing a pair of yellow silk stockings over her slender legs. "She just brought me up to look after things the right way." But Mrs. Mangan shook her head firmly. "Oh, no," she declared with conviction. "You can't teach a girl to be a housekeeper any more; you can teach a dull dog smart tricks! I bet if you were to have a little home of your own, it would be as neat as wax, and that you'd be as happy as a lark all day long in it, just like I'm happy in mine."

Bobbie started to say "No." Then she thought crossed her mind. She remembered what a go time she had had in the house on Locust street, during the weeks after Aunt Gertrude died. In spite of her grief at that time, she had honestly enjoyed planning the meals and making the beds and polishing the silver. After all, on the Ransom side of the family, she had come from a long line of wonderful housekeepers. She could remember Aunt Gertrude's stories about Grandmother Ransom's famous sud puddings and the way she could weave her own linen and make her own rag carpets. And Aunt Gertrude herself! There was a born housekeeper if ever there was one! "My mother never was a housekeeper, though," she found herself saying aloud to Mrs. Mangan. "All she wanted to do was sing. She wanted to be a singer or an actress. She was awfully pretty at a 'awfully unhappy as a home woman—and I guess I take after her."

"Well, you're pretty enough, land knows!" agreed Mrs. Mangan. And she helped her to slip the green dress over her head. "But I don't believe you got it in you to be an actress. You ain't near crazy-brained enough. Most of 'em is such fools!"

Monica was in her going-away suit of pale blue silk, when Bobbie returned to her luxurious little flat at three o'clock that afternoon. The flat itself was filled with Jun. roses. It was roomed with them, so that if you had closed your eyes you might have thought you were standing in a rose garden. In the little dressing room off the living room, was spray g herself with two or three different kinds of perfume from large colored glass atomizers. "Hello, Handsome!" she greeted Bobbie, holding out one hand. The other one was being given a last polish by Winnie, her darky maid. "Did you hear that Roy Schultz and Lottie were going back to each other?" she asked, and at once Bobbie knew why she had decided to marry Ted Piper, after all. "Husbands' mos' always goes back to their wives," remarked Winnie wisely. "I been married and separated three times myself. Men is like street cars. There always will be another one along, and if you wait long enough the same one will be comin' back!"

"Run out and see if the ice cream and the cakes have come, Winnie," her mistress commanded, and when she was gone she began to tell Bobbie all about her marriage. "You see, Roy's the only director in Hollywood who thinks I'm any good," she said, "and if he's going back to that dill pickle of his, she'll never let him give me another job. You can just bet on that! So I just made up my mind to get married and get out of Hollywood. Ted has scads of money, too, and your little Monica always said she'd marry glue or die an old maid! I thought it over, for a long time, and finally I decided to take a chance on Ted."

"Don't make me laugh," interrupted the burly Aunt Gertrude, who came back into the little room. "Once you got your hands on Mr. Ted Piper, you knowed you was goin' to marry him. He had no more chance to leggo of you than to the legs of an electric wire, Miss Monica!" She laughed wildly at this until her fat sides shook, and Monica laughed with her. "I think I'll go down and ask the manager an empty suit in the place, while we're waiting," Bobbie said presently. "Gus thinks I ought to have a flat of my own."

"Why don't you take this one?" asked Monica eagerly. "I have a loose, and if you'd take it off my hands, it would tickle me to death."

"Then, before Bobbie could refuse her offer, Gus came in with Ted and the minister who was to marry the happy pair. "Gus, I've just been talking to Bobbie about taking this flat," Monica began, rushing up to Gus before she had shaken hands with the Rev. Stenochard, or had even kissed her best-beloved. With Monica business always came before anything else, and if she could save a penny she was perfectly happy. And in three minutes, everything was settled. Bobbie was to take this cluttered-up little flat that she did not want, and move in tomorrow. Winnie will be glad to stay right on here and do your work for you," Monica's coarse soft voice ran on, arranging everything, settling everything. Bobbie looked appealingly at Gus, who was saying nothing. He evidently had had a drink, and he was in an affable too-cheerful mood. Sure, that's fine. Bobbie will have everything ready for her," he kept saying, as he nodded his head up and down. Then they took their places, and the minister began to read the words of the beautiful marriage service. They seemed curiously out of place here in this flat with its cluttered boxes, ashtrays, whiskey decanters, and floor cushions upon which sat Monica's foolish-looking imported dolls. And as Monica said "I will," Bobbie wondered whether she really wanted what she was saying. She wondered if Monica had it in her to "love, honor and obey" any man for very long. She doubted it. She was listless and silent all the while Monica was talking. Gus asked her to have dinner with him somewhere she said no. "I'm blue," she told him. "I never knew a wedding could make me feel so down-hearted."

He laughed. "You'll feel pretty fine when it comes time for your own, young lady," he said and drove away. A half hour later he telephoned her. His voice was thick and unsteady, but it was very cheerful. "Lissen," he said. "I got the grandest little idea. Let's get married tomorrow and spend our honeymoon in Monica's flat. What you say?" For just a second Bobbie hesitated. Well, why not get married tomorrow, just as well as any other day? What difference did it make? They were going to be married sooner or later, anyway. "All right," she answered. "You come around in the afternoon, and we'll hunt up a justice of the peace."

After that there seemed nothing to say but "goodby" and she said it. "I've everything I want at last," she thought, turning away from the telephone. "The job I want, the kind of salary I want, the kind of home I want, and man I want." What, then, was wrong with her? What made her want to sink down on the bottom step of the stairs and cry and cry and cry. "I tried, I suppose," she explained to herself, and went on up to her room to pack a suitcase with her prettiest clothes. "This," she thought, "is about as romantic as a Kewpie Comedy!—Honeymooning in Monica's jazzy flat! Who ever heard of such a thing!" She had felt twice as thrilled about packing up to come to Hollywood as she felt now, coming linen and silk and toilet articles into her small black suitcase. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

derson, 11-year-old stepson of Charles Minton, farmer, who recently moved on the Jackson farm. The woman disappeared last October. A week later neighbors, who believed that the woman had been slain, conducted a thorough investigation of the case, but failed to find any trace of her. The grave had been carefully secreted with weeds and shrubbery. While the man and his son are held in the county jail, Little Hazel Jackson, 10, and her baby sister, Irene, 2, are at the home for neglected children here. Further than the report that

Earl killed his step-mother "just because she wanted to be killed," officers have been unable to determine a motive for the crime.

CEDARVILLE

Mrs. Sylvia Gearheiser of Waldo, O., is visiting relatives and friends here for a couple of weeks. Mrs. Henry Smith was hostess to the members of the Research Club at her home Thursday afternoon. The all-day meeting of the ladies societies of the M. E. Church was

held in the church parlors Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Gillough spent the past week with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McFarland and family at College Corner, O. Mr. Victor Sullivan of Morgantown, W. Va., was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. P. Elias for a few days last week. Mr. Sullivan is the father of Mrs. Elias. Mrs. A. S. Bauman of Creve Coeur, Mo., has been visiting friends here the past week. Miss Carrie Rife has resumed her work in the High School, after

having been out for several weeks, on account of her mother's illness. Mrs. W. H. Smith was hostess to the members of the Research Club and a few friends Thursday afternoon. About forty were present and enjoyed the program. A luncheon was served. Miss Lola Cummins came over from Dayton Saturday evening to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ardis Cummins. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nixon of Dayton, were guests of friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roll Shultz of Dayton, spent a couple of days with

Mrs. Shultz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spencer, this week. Mr. Frank Bratton who is manager of a Kroger store in Springfield spent a few days with his parents here last week. Mrs. John McNutt and Miss Catherine Huntington of Columbus, Dr. Graft and wife of Trenton, O., and Mrs. Carrie Jones of Springfield, attended the funeral of Mrs. M. W. Collins, last week. Miss Lucile Johnson of Greenfield High School spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

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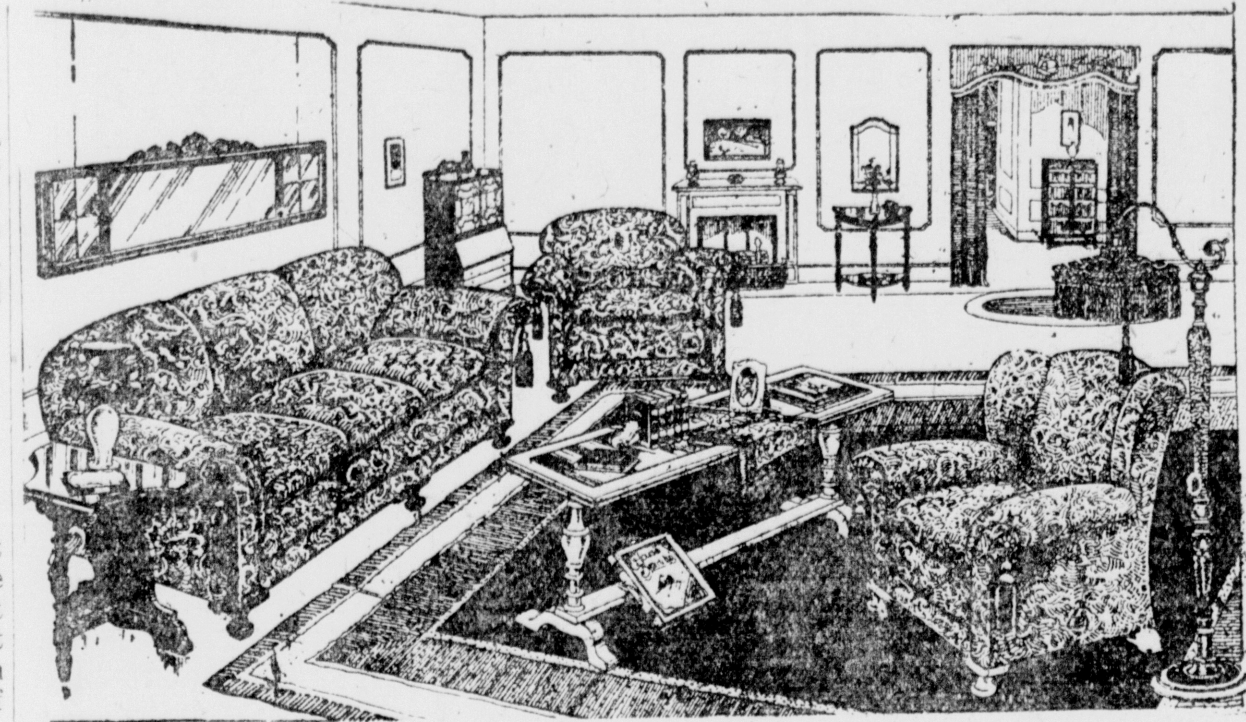
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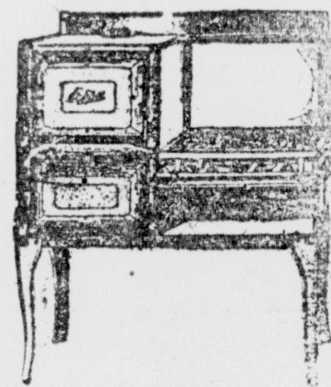
GAS RANGE

Read all the ads of Xenia's stores—then see if they will sell you a gas range like this one for

\$49.00

And Your Bonus

is what we give, extra Free, without cost is choice of our entire stock. Your bonus on this range is,



\$12.35

EASY TERMS

8 PIECE DINING ROOM SUITE

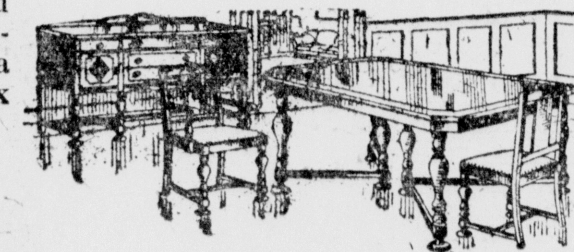
We doubt your having seen as fine a dining room suite as the one we offer here for \$159.00. This period designed suite is finished in genuine walnut veneer has a large buffet table and six diners and is only,

\$159.00

And Your Bonus

Of course you want it, who wouldn't, for it gives you free that extra piece or pieces you are wanting up to the value of

\$40.00



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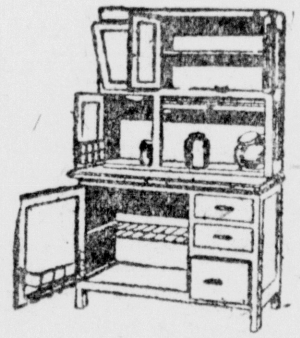
KITCHEN CABINET

Every woman will agree that \$49.00 is a mighty little price for a good substantially built white enameled kitchen cabinet. Yet we offer them during this event for only

\$49.00

And Your Bonus

While only \$12.25 is free furniture it is really a big saving, as it further reduces the actual cost to you of the cabinet to only \$36.75. So get your bonus.



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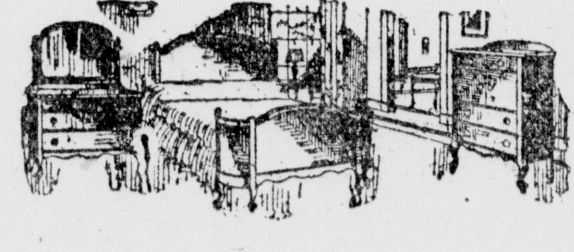
BED ROOM SUITE

A beautiful suite! The value will immediately win your appreciation. March Bonus Price

\$139.00

And Your Bonus

On this suite or any bed room outfit amounting to \$139.00 would mean \$34.75 more in free furniture for your home. Remember you make your own selections amounting to



Remarkable Values

\$34.75

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